THE WEATHER.

Local thunder showers Sunday; Monday probably fair.

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PRESIDENT WILL GO GETTYSBURG EVENT

Reconsiders His Decision Not to Attend the Peace Celebration

WILL SPEAK ON THE FOURTH

Representative A. Mitchell Palmer, of Pennsylvania, Prevails on Wilson to Visit Battle Ground and Speak Briefly

Washington, June 28.—President Wilson tonight decided to attend the 50th anniversary celebration of the Battle of Gettysburg on the Fourth of July. He telegraphed Governor Tener that he had reconsidered his previous declination, and would make a brief speech to the veterans.

The President's decision followed a conference with Representative A. Mitchell Palmer, of Pennsylvania. The President had taken the position previously in declining to go that he would be breaking his rule, established months ago not to leave Washington for any speech-making occasion while Congress was in session.

Mr. Palmer pointed out, however, the importance of the Gettysburg celebration, its Nation-wide significance and particularly the spirit of sectional sympathy that would result from a speech by a Southern-born President at the reunion of the North and South.

The President had intended to leave Tuesday for New Hampshire to spend a few days with his family, but the trip will necessitate a re-arrangement of plans. Mr. Wilson probably will be at Gettysburg only a few hours and it has not yet been decided whether he will go by motor or by train. His plans probably will be announced on Monday.

Secretary Tumulty gave out this statement for the President:

"The President has felt constrained to forego his chance for a few days of much needed rest in New Hampshire this week because he feels it his duty to attend the celebration at Gettysburg on Friday, the Fourth of July."

Just fifty years ago, at Gettysburg, Pa., the armies of Lee and Meade came together in the greatest battle of the Civil War. For three terrible days the struggle raged about the little town, the advantage lying first with one side and then with the other, until at last came Pickett's magnificent charge, ending in defeat, and the conflict was over. During the coming week the Blue and Gray will meet again on the famous battlefield, this time to cement the ties which half a century ago they fought to sever. Without rancor or enmity, practically all the living survivors of the battle, some 50,000 in number, will gather in a great semi-centennial reunion which is to be held at Gettysburg from July 1st to 4th. It will probably be the last gathering of its kind, since the veterans of the '60s are fast departing, and for this reason the government as well as patriotic organizations throughout the country plan to make the occasion a memorial one.

Congress has appropriated $350,000 for the celebration and with the aid of the individual States will bring the veterans to the scene of the battle without expense. For an entire week they will be entertained at Gettysburg at no cost to themselves. While there they will be quartered in an improvised camp of more than 6,000 tents. This immense city of a week, occupying more than 20 acres, has been planned with the utmost consideration for the comfort and well-being of the old soldiers, for it is realized they are no longer able to withstand the rigors of rough camp life. The arrangements are in charge of two of the most experienced men in the Quartermaster's Department of the United States army, who have laid out the camp in broad avenues lined with wall tents and lighted at night by Tungsten lamps. They will also have charge of feeding the army of 50,000 men that will be assembled there. For this purpose 400 great army cooking ranges and outfits will be installed in the camp; with a chief commissary, 18 assistant commissaries, 800 cooks, 800 assistant cooks and 130 bakers. Nearly 1,500,000 pounds of food of various kinds will be consumed during the week, at an estimated cost of thirty cents for each ration. Outside the camp a large hospital will be established, while inside will be located 87 field hospitals, and infirmary tents with 130 surgeons and attendants.

The programme for the four days' celebration at Gettysburg has been tentatively arranged as follows:

First Day, July 1st, Veterans' Day—All surviving veterans to be participants in a great camp-fire, presided over by the commanders-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Confederate Veterans.

Second Day, July 2nd, Military Day—Exercises to be under the command of the chief of staff of the United States army. Special detachments of each branch of the army to be detailed by the Secretary of War, and representatives of the National Guard of the States invited for merit.

Third Day, July 3rd, Civic Day—Under the personal supervision of the Governor of Pennsylvania, the participants to be the Governors of States, their staffs and the general public.

Fourth Day, July 4th, National Day—The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to preside, and the President, his cabinet and other dignitaries of the government, to be the guests of honor. At 10 o'clock A. M. a great mass meeting will be held at the rostrum, at which prayer and singing will be offered, and an oration delivered by the President of the United States. At noon, the cornerstone of a great peace memorial will be laid by the President, which act will conclude the official exercises.

THE COLLECTORS DESIGNATED

Only Forty-nine Collectors Hereafter—Many Custom Houses Lose Jobs—Offices Abolished—New Headquarters.

Library of Congress,

Washington, June 28.—Secretary McAdoo today designated the collectors and deputy collectors of customs who will have charge of ports of the United States after the re-organization on July 1st.

One hundred and thirteen collectors lost their jobs because the offices are abolished. Hereafter there will be only 49 collctors.

In most cases the present collectors will be retained in charge of the districts. The secretary has designated a deputy collector to take immediate charge of each port and generally that designation was the present special deputy collector.

Floyd Hughes, the present collector of customs at Norfolk, Va., will be the collector for the Norfolk-Newport News district, with offices at both ports. Collector Fred Reed, at Newport News, goes out of office.

The dpeuty collectors for Virginia, South Carolina and Florida will be announced later.

In North Carolina the deputy collectors in charge will be: Newbern, J. Albert Patterson; Beaufort, M. H. Marshall; Elizabeth City, Miss Catherine B. Davis.

Virginia—Norfolk and Newport News (headquarters): Richmond, William G. Smith; Newport News (office), M. M. Vipond; Petersburg, J. S. Epes (temporary); Reedville, W. T. Edwards; Chincoteague, Nathaniel S. Smith; Cape Charles, Lynn W. Stevenson.

North Carolina—Wilmington (headquarters): Newbern, J. Albert Patterson; Beaufort, M. H. Marshall; Elizabeth City, Miss Katherine B. Davis (temporary): Manteo, no officer stationed here.

South Carolina—Charleston (headquarters): Georgetown, S. C.; Beaufort, S. C.

Georgia—Savannah (headquarters): Brunswick, Eugene R. Belcher; Darien, Richard W. Grubb; Atlanta, Vivian O. Kimsey.

Florida — Jacksonville (headquarters): Tampa, George I. Morris (acting in charge); Key West, John P. Cushing; Pensacola, Bruce S. Weeks; Fernandina, Scott M. Thompson; Miami, N. T. Ferris; St. Augustine, Edward R. Joyce; Boca Grande, G. H. Skermer; Cedar Keys, J. B. Ambrose; Port Inglis, R. A. Alfred; Apalachicola, K. R. Bobbitt; Carrabelle, Richard L. Rogers; St. Andrews, Morton Rynearson.

Alabama—Mobile (headquarters): Birmingham, Walter H. Dodd; Gulfport, J. H. Espy; Scranton, Lawson E. Evans.

Louisiana—New Orleans (headquarters): Morgan City, M. P. Palmer.

TRINITY FACULTY CHANGES.

Dr. E. W. Knight Takes Prof. E. C. Brooks' Chair for a Year.

Durham, N. C., June 28.—The executive committee of Trinity College have announced that they have secured Dr. E. W. Knight to take the place of Prof. E. C. Brooks during his year's leave of absence. Prof. Brooks will spend the nert year at Columbia University doing research work. Dr. Knight is a graduate of Trinity College, of the class of 1909, and was for two years a member of the faculty of the Trinity Park school. Since leaving Durham he has been a student of Columbia University, and during the past year has been in the Teachers' College. He is a native of Aulander, N. C., and was a very popular student and member of the faculty while in college here. He secured his doctor's degree at Columbia this year.

Prof. Graves, of the University of Chicago, and Prof. Moore, of Harvard, have also been added to the college facutly of English. One of these men takes the place of Prof. H. E. Spence, who tendered his resignation at the last meeting of the board of trustees and has taken charge of the Methodist church of Sanford. The other new addition to the English department takes up a new line of work, and will relieve President Few of a part of his teaching duties.

Prof. Egerton has also been added to the department of physics, and will work with Prof. C. W. Edwards, who has charge of this department.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Iredell County Man Hard to Kill—Convicts Shocked.

Statesville, N. C., June 28.—Fred Brown, a young white man, was struck by lightning and seriously injured during a severe storm which passed over the northern section of this county. Two of the colored convicts at work on the Statesville Air Line and one of the guards were knocked down by the lightning and severely shocked, but escaped injury. Brown had been out watching the convicts work and when the storm approached he was accompanying the convicts and guards to the camp near Turnersburg to get in out of the storm. Just as they passed a big tree the lightning struck the tree and leaped from the tree to Brown's arm and ran from the arm across his breast and down both legs, tearing open both trousers' legs and demolishing one shoe.

Ugly burns and blisters were left in the path of the lightning and those who saw the victim felt sure he was killed. He was carried to the camp, where a physician soon revived him and dressed his injuries. It is now believed that he will recover.

DURHAM GETTING 'EM ALL.

Tobacco Town Has Landed Nine Conventions for Next Year.

Durham, N. C., June 28.—Durham landed two more convention for next year today, making nine in all that have already announced their intention of meeting in the Bull City in 1914. The two conventions which selected Durham as next year's meeting place today were the Stationery and Booksellers' convention, and the State Underwriters' Association, which held forth in Fayetteville this week. Mr. M. E. Newsom was influential in securing the booksellers for Durham, and Mr. J. H. Southgate and W. J. Griswold landed the fire insurance people for Durham.

CONSIDERATION OF SCHEDULES ENDED

Democrats Are Spurred to Action in the Tariff Caucus.

LITTLE FRICTION IN MEETING

Caucus Approves Many of the Schedules, Then Takes Up Sundries, Free List and Income Tax.

Washington, June 28.—Impatient at delay in getting the tariff bill before the Senate, administration leaders, spurred the Democrats to action today in the tariff caucus, and tonight consideration of all the schedules practically had been completed.

During the day the caucus approved the wool manufactures, silk, paper and flax, hemp and jute schedules, and tonight took up sundries and the free list, to be followed Monday by consideration of the administrative features and income tax section.

Surprising to many of the Senators, the caucus passed through the committee amendments tonight without much friction, and no changes were made in any of the schedules, although a few items of the wool schedule were referred back.

The action of the committee in transferring raw hemp, flax and jute to the free ilst was approved by the caucus without discussion. The committee changes in the silk schedulc also were approved and no changes were made in the paper schedule, print paper valued at not more than 2 1-2 cents a pound being left on the unrestricted free list as in the bill which passed the House.

Early in the day the only enlivening discussion occurred upon an amendment by Senator Ashhurst to put on the free list all woolen goods in general use, such as cloth, women's and children's dress goods, ready made clothing, stockings and the like. It was argued that the Democratic platform justified placing all clothing on the free list. Members of the finance committee strenuously opposed such a wide reduction, however, and the Ashurst amendment was voted down by a large majority.

Senator Simmons tonight declared the caucus had at last shown a disposition to hasten its work, and he believed the bill could be completed by Tuesday at the latest. As amended by the Finance committee, reducing the normal income tax exemption from $4,000 to $3,000 for single persons, the revenue to be derived is estimated to be about the same as the estimated revenue under the House bill—$80,000,000. Reduction of the general exemption, it was figured, would be about equalized by the additional exemptions for married men or women and for children dependent upon the income of a parent.

As soon as the caucus completes the bill it will be passed upon by the full finance committee, the minority members then getting their first official look at the measure. The bill will be in committee not more than two days. In any event it is improbable that it can be reported to the Senate in time for general debate to begin before July 4.

TAKEN ON INSANITY CHARGE.

Michigan Millionaire Arrested In Asheville by Family.

Asheville, N. C., June 28.—What promises to be one of the most sensational cases in in the history of western North Carolina courts was started today when Henry Clay Ward, a millionaire, of Pontiac, Mich., who has been in Asheville for the past several weeks in custody of two court officers of that city, was taken on an insanity warrant and placed in a local sanitarium.

The officers who had been in charge of Mr. Ward protested against such action, but were powerless to prevent it. It is understood that Mr. Ward is alleged to have been demented for four or five years and there has been a long drawn out court proceeding to commit him to an asylum. It was in a part of these proceedings that the two officers with him were named to take care of him until some time in July. They accompanied him everywhere he went and have been living with him here in a handsome home in an exclusive residential section of Asheville.

Yesterday Mrs. Ward arrived here with the necessary papers to have Mr. Ward committed to a sanatarium and the insanitary warrant was taken out before Clerk of Superior Court Marcus Erwin.

Information concerning the wealth of Mr. Ward is to the effect that he inherited a large fortune and that until a few days ago he was a successful lumberman of Pontiac.

He is said to be worth between three and four million of dollars.

BOOZE WAS HARD TO GET.

Man Made Three Trips to Express Office Ere He Got It.

Shelby, N. C., June 28.—Recently a Rutherford county man who did not know the law that a stranger must be identified at the express office before he can get his liquor made three trips and paid a friend's fare before he got the possession of his goods. Since the Webb law came into effect liquor cannot be delivered by the express companies at all in Rutherford, so he ordered a gallon to come to Shelby. The first trip he made, the liquor had not arrived. The second time he could not get any one in town to identify him, so he went back and brought a friend with him on the third trip. The gallon and the trips cost him $9.30.

Washington, June 28.—Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant to Henry J. Palmer, of Greensboro of a patent for a strap-lock.

ATTACK ON GUAYMAS RENEWED

Many American Refugees Leave Mexico on Steamer—Disease and Pestilence Said to Be Raging at Guaymas

Nogales, Ariz., June 28.—The Constitutionalists began an attack on Guaymas this morning, according to a dispatch which reached Nogales late today. Didier Masson, the French aviator, was reported to have made a flight over Guaymas and its harbor, returning with the information that Mexican Federal officials and sympathizers were being taken aboard the gun boats Guerrero, Morelos and Martinez.

Ojeda and Barron, the Federal leaders, were believed to be fleeing toward Bacatete. Obregon's rebels pursued many bands of retreating Federals, capturing some in a badly demoralized condition.

Douglas, Ariz., June 28.—The hope of the Mexican Constitutionalists of entering Guaymas without a struggle ended today when the Federal garrison of 700 at that place refused to surrender. The rebels, numbering 2,000 and headed by Obregon, immediately began an attack.

This information was received at Constitutionalists' junta here, together with the prediction that the rebels would soon be in command of Guaymas.

San Diego, Cal., June 28.—With accommodations for 50 passengers, the Mexican steamer Benito Juarez arrived here today from Mazatlan and Guaymas, Mexico, with 115 refugees.

Smallpox was raging in Guaymas, the price of food was prohibitive, and the Mexican troops made life unbearable for Americans, the refugees declared.

Five members of the party of 35 Americans who walked 250 miles to Guaymas through the war zone, arrived on the steamer. They asserted they were escorted into Guaymas by troops, robbed of all their money and left to shift for themselves. According to their count there were about 3,500 rebels in the territory through which they passed.

Thirteen women and children of the Yberri family of Guaymas, said to be the wealthiest on the West Mexican coast, arrived for an indefinite stay in the United States. They said the spread of the smallpox epidemic caused them to leave Guaymas.

SUES STATESVILLE DOCTOR.

Ashe County Man Alleges He Caught Cold in Hospital.

Statesville, N. C., June 28.—The damage suit against Dr. H. F. Long, of Statesville, brought by F. H. Neal, of Ashe county, more than a year ago and in which a voluntary non-suit was taken later, has been renewed by Neal, who demands $50,000 damages. Neal was a patient at Dr. Long's sanatorium and he alleged in his complaint that he was not given proper care, that as a result he caught cold and suffered serious injury. In reply to the complaint it was stated that Neal was a patient at the sanatorium, his treatment was concluded and he was discharged as a patient. At his request he was allowed to remain at the sanatorium a day longer for his convenience, and it was during this period when he controlled his own actions that he went out on the sanatorium porch and caught the cold that brought on the alleged injury.

NEGRESS HAS CLOSE CALL.

Lightning Melted Her Very Hat Pins and Hair Pins.

Shelby, N. C., June 28.—News has reached here that lightning played a strange prank with Paris Webber, colored, last Sunday morning. While she was sitting under a hanging lamp, listening to a sermon in Washington church, lightning struck the building and was conducted to her by the wire which held up the lamp. Her hatpin was melted in two, the hairpins also melted, hair scorched, clothing torn in shreds and set on fire, tacks knocked out of the heels of her shoes and a silver coin, which she carried in her stocking, was bent. For half an hour she was unconscious, but is improving now and there is every hope of her recovery, though she has been suffering intensely with burns.

HEAT CAUSES WRECK

Spread Rails Ditch C. & O. Passenger Train

Peru, Ind., June 28.—The intense heat which caused the rails to spread is blamed for the wreck of Chesapeake & Ohio passenger train No. 6, known as the "Fast Flying Virginian," in which 25 persons were injured near Fulton, 20 miles northwest of here this afternoon. Two Pullman cars and a diner turned completely over. The train was making about 40 miles an hour. Among the injured was Gordon Smith, of Charlottesville, Va., collar bone and arm broken.

The injured were brought to Peru hospitals, where it was said tonight all would recover.

OUTLINES

President Wilson has decided to attend the fiftieth anniversary celebration of the battle of Gettysburg on the Fourth of July. He will make a brief speech to the veterans at that time.

Consideration of practically all of the schedules of the tariff bill was completed last night by the Senate caucus.

President Wilson last night approved the plan negotiated by the Attorney General and the railroad attorneys for the dissolution of the Union Pacific merger under the Sherman anti-trust law, as directed by the Supreme Court, so as to avoid a receivership.

The Mexican Constitutionalists have begun an attack on Guaymas. Many refugees have fled from the city.

Secretary McAdoo yesterday designated collectors of customs and deputies who will have charge of ports of the United States after the reorganization July 1.

New York markets: Money on call, nominal; no loans. Spot cotton, quiet, 20 points up. Middling gulf, 12.30; middling gulf, 12.75. Sales, none.

WILSON APPROVES M'REYNOLDS' PLAN

In the Dissolution of the Union Pacific Merger.

COURT TO APPROVE PROPOSAL

If the Court Approves the Plan the Alternative of Receivership Will be Avoided—Proposals

Washington, June 28.—President Wilson tonight approved the plan negotiated by Attorney General McReynolds and the railroad attorneys for the dissolution of the Union Pacific merger, under the Sherman anti-trust law, as directed by the Supreme Court of the United States, so as to avoid a receivership for the great combination.

G. Carroll Todd, special assistant to the attorney general, left tonight for St. Paul to represent the government, and to announce its approval of the proposal when it is presented to the United States Court there Monday. He was accompanied by H. W. Clark, of counsel for the road, who will submit the plan to the court.

The government will qualify its approval of the plan, it is said, by asking the court to grant a reasonable time within which the attorney general may make objectons to the proposal if further study develops it will not meet the requirements of the Sherman law in all aspects.

This latest attempt of the many made to dismember the combination provides for the disposition of the entire $126,650,000 of Southeri Pacific stock held by the Union Pacific. While no official announcement has been made, it is understood the plan as one step, provides for the exchange of $38,292,400 of Southern Pacific stock for the Pennsylvania's holdings in the Baltimore & Ohio, which are approximately of the same value. The remaining $88,357,600 shares of Southern Pacific will be disfranchised and placed in the hands of a trust company as trustees and against this stock will be issued certificates, with no voting power, to shareholders of the Union Pacific. The plan provides for the sale of these certificates within definite time, and their exchange for the stock under such conditions, it is declared, that it will be impossible for stockholders of the Union Pacific to acquire a substantial proportion of Southern Pacific stock.

This new plan is somewhat similar to one of the proposals submitted to the court a month ago, but it is said to be more definite in form and surrounded by greater safeguards to prevent the Southern Pacific stock from going to Union Pacific shareholders or remaining under the control of the Union Pacific Railroad for an unlimited time.

Under the Supreme Court's mandate the plan must be presented to the judges of the United States Court for the Eighth circuit by July 1st, although there is no limit within which the court must enter a decree of dissolution.

If the court approves the plan the alternative of receivership will be avoid-Attorney General McReynolds late late today received word that Circuit Judge Sanborn and Smith would be in St. Paul Monday to receive the plan. Judge Hook has not been heard from, and it is not known whether he will be present.

DEWBERRY CROP OVER

Better Prices and Larger Shipments From Sanford

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Sanford, N. C., June 28.—The dewberry crop in Lee county closes with this week. Scattered pickings will be disposed of on the local market. The season's output was 25 cars as compared with 20 last year, the price averaging $4 a crate as compared with $3 in 1912. The growers have made good money this season and look forward to expansion next year, one grower saying he expects to ship in car lots another season. This year all growers shipped together. The industry is hardly started, for there is great room for development in Lee and Moore counties.

PASSENGER TRAIN WRECKED.

Two Persons Injured When Four Cars Leave Track.

Tulsa, Okla., June 28.—Two persons were slightly injured when four cars of a St. Louis & San Francisco Westbound fast passenger train left the track six miles west of Tulsa late today. They stopped upright on the brink of a 20-foot embankment. The accident is said to have been due to a defective rail.

WRECK ON SOUTHERN.

Three Cars Ditched—No One Seriously Injured.

Bristol, Va., June 28.—New York and Memphis limited, No. 25, was wrecked near Greenville, Tenn., on the Southern Railway at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon. Three coaches left the rails, but no one was seriously injured. The train was delayed until late tonight.

Tired Eyes? There's a Reason for It

And that reason is undoubtedly eyestrain. You can overwork your eyes in the same manner that you can overwork yourself physically. For that "rundown" condition of the eyes, nothing is so beneficial to the eyes as a pair of rest glasses. If your eyes are not badly strained you will be obliged to wear them only when you are using your eyes in close work. At all events, let us determine, by our scientifically exact examination, the precise condition of your eyes. I make rest glasses as low as $1.50.

(Advertisement.)

SCHOOL HYGIENE CONGRESS

Many Public Health Officers on Programme of International Meeting to Study School Hygiene—South Represented

New York, June 28.—Public health officers will occupy a prominent place on the programme of the Fourth International Congress on School Hygiene, which is to be held at Buffalo the last week in August. In all some 50 of these public officials will discuss various phases of school hygiene work from the point of view of medical, hygienic and sanitary inspection.

Official Washington will be represented by Commissioner of Education, Dr. Philander P. Claxton; Surgeon General Charles F. Stokes, Chief Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, Dr. John F. Anderson, of the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service; Sanitary Engineer George H. Shaw, Bureau of Animal Industry, United States Department of Agriculture; Dr. Emil Krulish, Public Health Service; Dr. John R. Mohler, Chief Pathological Division, Bureau of Animal Industry; B. H. Rawl, Chief Dairy Division, Bureau of Animal Industry; Dr. A. D. Melvin, Chief Bureau of Animal Industry; Dr. A. J. McLaughlin, International Joint Commission.

Topics to be taken up for discussion will include: The organization of health departments in schools; the relationship of the school to the board of health; the equipment, training and compensation of school physicians; school nurses; school clinics; relation of health supervision in the schools to the practice of the physician, the dentist and the hospital; the relation of medical and hygienic supervision in the schools to health supervision in the home; sanitary supervision of schoolo rooms, locker rooms, swimming pools, school books and school furniture; supervision of disease carriers; prevention of epidemics; follow up methods and results; medical inspection and treatment.

Among the speakers from the State health boards will be the following:

Dr. Allen W. Freeman, of Richmond, Va.; Dr. L. T. Royster, of Norfolk, Va.; Dr. Roy Flannagan, director of the Virginia State Board of Health; Dr. John A. Ferrell, of Raleigh, N. C., secretary of the North Carolina Board of Health, and Dr. J. LaBruce Ward, of Columbia, S. C., of the State Board of Health. In addition to these Southern physicians there will be medical men from all over the Nation in attendance.

FORT CASWELL WATER SUPPLY

Government to Install Evaporator—Fishing Good at Southport

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, June 28.—The government for years has tried for a satisfactory water supply at Fort Caswell. Recently it was thought that waterworks might be erected here, where the water analysis shows a wonderful purity, but this is not to be attempted. Instead the government has made a contract with a Baltimore firm and an evaporator will be the water supply source for the fort.

Yesterday the weather was very favorable for fishing, and the boats went outside, where the catch fully warranted the early predictions. There was a full market, locally, of trout and black fish, which sold at prices to meet the pocket of any one.

The ladies of the Parish Society of St. Phillip's church, will on next Friday, July 4th, hold a bazaar at the pavilion from 2:30 to 7:30 P. M., the proceeds to go to the fund that is being raised to repair and redecorate the church edifice within and without. A number of handsome articles have been contributed, among the contributions being a box from New York city, filled with fancy articles. Among other features will be a prize doll and a prize cake. There will be music to enliven the occasion.

The dry goods houses of H. W. Hood and J. J. Loughlin have entered upon the half holiday Friday period for the Summer months, closing at 1 P. M.

It is expected that a call will be issued within a few days to all county people to meet here the second week in July, for the purpose of organizing a Brunswick county Just Freight Rate Association.

The weather for June has been fine for crops. There has been a rainfall here for the month above the normal, but rain has not much force in the sandy soil, so that even with a couple of inches there is no standing water. The rainfall as per register here for the month to date, has been 7.10 inches.

The new moving picture house of Messrs. Furpless and Gause, was opened for the first time on Thursday night, the entertainment being under the direction of Misses Ellan Windsor and Blanche Newton, the programme being described as a "musicale," the Fort Caswell orchestra, Lieut. Stanly, Dr. Guthrie with others, assisting in making a very enjoyable evening, there also being two reels shown. The proceeds went to the fund of the Methodist church, which is being raised to put a new front upon the church, with the entrance in front, instead upon the side, as at present.

Wednesday night the class of 14 from the Odd Fellows Orphanage, at Goldsboro, gave an entertainment at the Court House, the proceeds going to the orphanage. About $31 was taken at the door, the children being entertained at various homes, while here, Capt. Harper generously furnished the transportation to and from Wilmington.

The government boat, Lieut. Haydon Y. Grubbs, arrived here this week from the Main coast, and takes the run of the Gen. Getty, between here and Fort Caswell. The Getty is now on the marine railway at Wilmington, having her hull scraped and painted.

The many friends of Col. H. K. White will be glad to learn that his health has continued to improve since his return to his home here.

Mr. Percy W. Canady is here on a visit, with his aunt, Mrs. J. A. Bell. Percy came this time from 'Frisco.

Mrs. C. L. Stevens and son, John DuVal, are here at the Morse House, with Mr. Stevens.

Misses Mary Phelps and Mary Lilly Fisher, who have been visiting friends in Galveston, Texas, for several months, returned home Friday.

MAXWELL REPLIES TO PRESIDENT TATE

Stands Pat and Willing to be Judged by Wilmington Speech

HE WAS MISREPRESENTED

Another Chapter in Controversy Over Address of Secretary of Corporation Commission on Rates, in This City.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 28.—Today Mr. A. J. Marwell, secretary of the Corporation Commission, made public his reply to the letter received by him during the week from Mr. Fred N. Tate, president of the North Carolina Just Freight Rate Association, in which Mr. Tate made a vigorous attack on Mr. Maxwell's recent rate speech and intimated that his position on the rate troubles of the State as to organizing a steamer company out of Wilmington was not sincere.

Mr. Maxwell recently delivered an address before the State Merchants' Association at Wrightsville Beach and the Chamber of Commerce at Wilmington, in which he strongly advocated the formation of a company to operate a line of steamers from Wilmington to Northern cities as a means of securing for the State the low freight rates which he said Virginia had secured by reason of Norfolk's development as a port. The reply in full of Mr. Maxwell follows:

"There is not a great deal that I wish to say in answer to the interview of Mr. Fred N. Tate. I have had my say, and have spoken with that degree of care and investigation that I am willing to be judged today or ten years from today by the things said. I am only interested in endeavoring to correct the misrepresentations of the things said. Mr. Tate has seen fit to question motives, and of course, I shall not discuss that with him. The North Carolina Merchants' Association, before whom the address was delivered, are pretty fair judges of matters of loyalty to a public trust, and they did me the great honor, at the conclusion of my address, to give me a vote of thanks for it by a unanimous rising vote. I can very well understand why Mr. Tate and myself might disagree about some of the matters discused, and without questioning motives, but it is especially to be regretted, I think, that the president of the North Carolina Just Freight Rate Association should have contemptuously condemned the only remedy that has been suggested that even purports to be a remedy within the right of the State to enforce to correct our inter-State freight rates, and that he should have done so without even reading it with sufficient care to state accurately what it is.

"Admit, Mr. Tate, that all of the schemes of legislative action that have been suggested are wise and proper measures, and if the State should have both the moral and legal right to adopt and enforce them all, and should do so, still you will not have accomplished the great purpose for which your association was formed, to-wit: The correction of our inter-State freight rates. The proposition which I have submitted is clearly within the legal and moral right of the State to enact, and I claim for it that it will 'turn the trick'—that it will accomplish the very thing your association is fighting for—reduced inter-State freight rates. Would it not be more enlightening to the public mind if you would take the pains to point out wherein it is defective, and wherein either my facts or reasoning are at fault, rather than to dismiss it with high sounding words and charges of disloyalty to the State? Let me invite you to this sort of an analysis of the proposition.

"You can't whistle it down, Mr. Tate, by telling the people that my plan is 'the development of our harbors, which will require a long time and much money.' That's not my proposition at all, Mr. Tate. We already have the harbor, with ample depth of water to accommodate any freight steamer in the coastwise traffic. We don't need to wait on anything but the will to do it, and this appeared to be developing pretty nicely when the president of the Just Freight Rate Association stepped in and cried 'disloyalty to the State.' We are not discussing motives now, Mr. Tate, but facts and conditions.

"I have shown where other cities almost as far inland as Asheville from Wilmington are today enjoying lower inter-State freight rates as a reflection of water competition. Is that true or not, Mr. Tate? And if it is true, doesn't it argue strongly that we should utilize this great natural resource of the State in fighting this great battle for lower inter-State freight rates, and use it for the development of the industrial and commercial interests of the State? And if this suggestion was not timely at this time, when the whole State has been puzzled for months for a remedy, when would it have been timely? Cannot anything that is good and timely emanate away from Greensboro or High Point?

"I sat before the Inter-State Commerce Commission at Washington three days and listened to the railroads present their case to the Commission for relief from the long and short haul act, showing to the Commission how they had been forced by water competition to make lower rates from New York to inland points all through Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana. But they are not bothered about North Carolina. The port is already there, Mr. Tate, and awaits only our enterprise to use it, but the very first station out of Wilmington takes the high rate basis on inter-State freight. If I am wrong about these facts, Mr. Tate, I will appreciate it if you will

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IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

BASEBALL - YACHTING - TENNIS - GOLF - MOTORING

M'GRAW MEN STRIKE AGAIN

Won Final Game of Series From Braves, While Superbas Again Helped Along the Cause. Pirates and Cubs Won.

Another titanic blow to the pennant cause was struck by the Giants at the Polo Grounds yesterday afternoon when they glided into another victory over the Boston Braves, going the entire series with the Beaneaters without dropping a game. Much power was lent to the wallop by another victory by the Brooklyn Superbas over the Phillies, the double streak of luck bringing the Giants' claws right in contact with the throats of the Phillies, within one-half game of the top.

The game at Philadelphia was a magnificent pitchers' battle between Moore and Ragan, and was won for Brooklyn in the eighth inning by two two-base drives by Smith. Two innings of a second game were played when the rain came down and called it off.

The Giants took the final of the series with the Boston Braves by the score of 10 to 9, winning the game in the seventh inning.

The Pirates again subdued the St. Louis Nationals in yesterday's game, winning by the score of 12 to 5 by bunching hits combined with the St. Louis team's misplays.

The Chicago Cubs' star pitcher, Humphries, allowed the Cincinnati Reds just five hits, and won the game 3 to 1.

Dodgers Took Four Straight.

Philadelphia, June 28.—Brooklyn made it four straight games over Philadelphia by winning today's game the score being 4 to 2. Two two-base drives by Smith won the pitching duel between Moore and Ragan. Two innings of a second contest were played without either team scoring when the game was called off owing to a hard shower.

Brooklyn	010 000 030—4	6	0
Philadelphia	000 000 002—2	7	0

Ragan and Fischer; Moore, Rixey and Killifer; time 1:45; umpires Klem and Orth.

Giants Take Final.

New York, June 28.—New York made it lve out of six from Boston by winning 10 to 9 today. New York won in the seventh, scoring eight runs on six singles, a triple and two errors.

Boston	001 300 023— 9	16	4
New York	001 000 81x—10	13	3

Dickson, Noyes and Rariden; Demaree, Marquard, Fromme, Crandall and Meyers; time 2:18; umpires Rigler and Byron.

Pirates Still Doing Stunts.

St. Louis, June 28.—Pittsburg by bunching hits with errors in four innings won from St. Louis today 12 to 5. Konetchy and Byrne, on opposing sides, starred at bat.

Pittsburg	400 041 003—12	15	2
St. Louis	030 100 100— 5	11	4

O'Toole, Cooper, Robinson and Coleman; Griner, Perrett and Wingo and McLean; time 2:10; umpires Brennan and Eason.

Cubs Won Again.

Cincinnati, June 28.—Humphries allowed Cincinnati batters only five hits today and Chicago won 3 to 1. Two singles and a sacrifice fly gave Cincinnati its one run.

Chicago	000 210 000—3	7	1
Cincinnati	000 001 000—1	5	3

Humphries and Buchanan; Suggs, Packard and Clark; time 2:00; umpires O'Day and Emslie.

A PRACTICAL SOLUTION

Kinston Paper Endorses Suggestion of Mr. A. J. Maxwell

(Kinston Free Press.)

"Let's provide ourselves with Virginia cities conditions and the rates will take care of themselves."

This was the concluding paragraph of Mr. A. J. Maxwell's excellent address delivered before the 11th annual meeting of the North Carolina Retail Merchants' Association at Wrightsville Beach on Wednesday. It contains, in a nutshell, the only practical remedy yet offered for the present unjust freight rate situation prevailing in North Carolina. We doubt not that the solution proposed is, in fact, the only one to be had, which offers real and permanent relief. Mr. Maxwell's proposal, in brief, is that a million dollar transportation corporation be formed for the purpose of establishing boat lines from Wilmington—and later on, Lockout—by means of which North Carolina would be placed exactly in Virginia's position. Water traffic would prevail in fact from North Carolina points. We have magnificent water frontage, but comparative little inter-State water traffic.

This boat line would place Wilmington in a position relative to North Carolina comparable to that occupied by Norfolk in her relation to Virginia. The Norfolk rate would thereby be put into North Carolina; for Wilmington would become a rate-basing port.

If the railroads were not forced by water competition to give us the Norfolk rate the Inter-State Commerce Commission would see that on inter-State business, we have that rate; and on intra-State business we would have ourselves only to blame if we did not get an equitable rate from our rate-basing port.

Mr. Maxwell's address covered the ground thoroughly. The speaker has made a close study of the problem with the details of which, because of his official position as clerk of the Corporation Commission, he has for a number of years been placed in very close contact. He has seen both sides—for it is a two-sided affair—and has approached the subject in a judicial spirit, calm, deliberate, honest and courageous. No wonder that the address, according to report, "met with instant favor of the business men assembled," for it holds up a "business" solution of a business problem.

Just at this time when the whole State is being agitated over the question of inter-State rates and all kinds of "unripe" solutions are being suggested, the proposition to make Wilmington a real rate-basing port comes at a most opportune time. We would commend it to the careful consideration of our business men and to the General Assembly, which later on will meet in extra session to go over the constitutional amendments.

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CONTRASTING BATTERY MATES.

Jack Warhop the pigmy member of the pitching staff of Frank Chance's New York Highlanders, and Ed Sweeney, the giant backstop, who receives the deliveries of the various Yankee twirlers with equal ease, were seen in yesterday's game at Boston. Sweeney is looked upon as being the best backstop for handling spit ball artists in the league. Warhop is a clever little twirler with a large assortment of curves which he can, when occasion demands, mix with a very speedy delivery.

∴ STANDING OF THE TEAMS ∴

AMERICAN LEAGUE	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	47	17	.734
Cleveland	41	27	.603
Chicago	37	32	.536
Boston	34	29	.540
Washington	36	32	.529
Detroit	27	43	.386
St. Louis	28	44	.389
New York	19	45	.297

NATIONAL LEAGUE	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	38	21	.644
New York	39	23	.629
Brooklyn	34	25	.567
Chicago	33	31	.516
Pittsburgh	30	33	.476
St. Louis	26	37	.406
Boston	25	37	.403
Cincinnati	24	40	.375

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Washington 8; Philadelphia 3.
At Chicago 2; Cleveland 3.
At Detroit 1; St. Louis 7.
At Boston 9; New York 6.
2nd: Boston 6; New York 7.

At Philadelphia 2; Brooklyn 4.
2nd: Called end 2nd, rain.
At St. Louis 5; Pittsburg 12.
At Cincinnati 1; Chicago 3.
At New York 10; Boston 9.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detroit.

Chicago at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

IN THE MINORS

South Atlantic League

At Charleston 9; Albany 2.
At Macon 7; Jacksonville 5.
At Columbus-Savannah, rain.

Southern League

At Memphis 4; Birmingham 6.
At Mobile 0; Chattanooga 3.
At Montgomery 7; Atlanta 4.
At New Orleans 1; Nashville 0.

Virginia League

At Petersburg 3; Roanoke 1. (4 innings.)
At Norfolk 4; Portsmouth 9.
At Richmond 5; Newport News 6.

Appalachian League

At Morristown 3; Bristol 6.
At Knoxville 0; Rome 5.
2nd: Knoxville 6; Rome 5.
At Johnson City 4; Middlesboro 3.
2nd: Johnson City 3; Middlesboro five.

International League

At Baltimore 3; Toronto 4.
2nd: Baltimore 6; Toronto 4.
At Jersey City 11; Montreal 9.
At Providence 8; Buffalo 11.
At Newark 13; Rochester 6.

American Association

At Columbus 7; Toledo 5.
At Minneapolis 6; Kansas City 2.
At Indianapolis 1; Louisville 5.
At St. Paul 7; Milwaukee 13.

FIVE PITCHERS EXHAUSTED.

Rowland Shuts Out Dillon in Fourth Game of Series.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Rowland, N. C., June 28.—Rowland defeated Dillon in the fourth game of the series today to the tune of 12 to 0. The game was called at the end of the sixth inning, Perritt having been knocked out of the box in the second, and four other pitchers also exhausted. Russell, for Rowland, allowed but one hit. Dillon's five pitchers allowed 13 hits. Home runs were hit by Thompson and Edgar Lutterlor. Correll, Lee Lutterloh, Evans and McLean also hit for extra bases.

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CAROLINA LEAGUE

Results Yesterday

At Greensboro 0; Winston 6.
2nd: Greensboro 0; Winston 4.
At Durham 4; Asheville 1.
2nd: Postponed account rain.
At Raleigh 4; Charlotte 1.

Standing of the Teams

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Durham	30	24	.556
Winston	29	24	.547
Raleigh	29	26	.527
Charlotte	27	26	.509
Asheville	26	27	.491
Greensboro	20	34	.370

PLAYER BREAKS LEG

Sliding to Second Youth Snaps Both Bones in Limb

Newton, N. C., June 28.—Rowe Campbell, a young man about 18 years old and a member of the Taylorsville baseball team, suffered a broken leg here yesterday afternoon during the game between Newton and Taylorsville. Campbell was making for second base and tried to slide in when by some means one foot became crossed with the other and he fell, breaking both bones just above the ankle. He was carried to Dr. Campbell's office where the bone was set and was taken to Statesville to the hospital on No. 12. His mother was notified and met him at Statesville. The game had only been in progress for a short while and was called off after the accident.

ATHLETICS DROPPED ONE

Senators Took the Concluding Game of Series—Red Sox Split Two With Yanks—Naps Won From Chicago—Browns.

One of the seldomest things that happen in the daily routine of the American Baseball League took place at Washington, D. C., yesterday afternoon. The event was the dropping of a baseball game by the Philadelphia Athletics, who presented yesterday's concluding argument of the series to the Washington Nationals by the score of 8 to 3.

An observation of the percentages of the two teams will show, though, that said Athletics will have to lose eight straight games before their next nearest contender for the top can see them displaced, which leads to the observation that if there is a pennant race in the A. L. we have not been able to find it.

The Naps once more had the big end of the score their way in yesterday's concluding argument with the Chicago White Sox.

The St. Louis Browns again pranced away with yesterday's game with the Detroit Tigers, Ty Cobb's name not getting mention in the details.

Senators Won.

Washington, June 28.—Washington defeated Philadelphia today 8 to 3.

Philadelphia	100 000 011—3	9	3
Washington	100 100 42x—8	8	2

Houck, Taff, Wyckoff and Schang; Boehling and Henry; time 2:25; umpires Connolly and McGreevey.

Naps Win One.

Chicago, June 28.—Cleveland won today from Chicago 3 to 2, catcher Schalk helping to lose the game when he tossed the ball to center after he thought a third strike was called on Chapman.

Cleveland	001 200 000—3	7	2
Chicago	110 000 000—2	7	3

Mitchell and O'Neill; Scott, Schalk and Kuhn; time 2:15; umpires O'Loughlin and Hildebrand.

Browns Take Third Straight.

Detroit, June 28.—St. Louis won its third straight from Detroit 7 to 1, driving in all its runs by clean hitting.

St. Louis	121 200 001—7	11	0
Detroit	000 001 000—1	7	1

Hamilton and Agnew; Willett, Lake and Stanage; time 1:38; umpires Egan and Evans.

Red Sox Split With Qanks.

Boston, June 28.—Boston and New York dvided a double-header today, Boston taking the first 9 to 6; New York the second 7 to 6.

New York	000 110 004—6	13	3
Boston	500 200 02x—9	13	0

McConnell, Warhop and Sweeney; Collins and Carrigan; time 2:03; umpires Hart and Dineen.

Second game:

New York	110 410 000—7	9	1
Boston	000 300 012—6	10	5

Schultz, Ford and Grossett, and Sweeney; Hall, O'Brien, Mosely, Foster and Nunamaker and Cady; time 2:20; umpires Dineen and Hart.

FOURTH AT ISLE OF PALMS

Big Time at Charleston Famous Summer Resort

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Charleston, S. C., June 28.—Plans for a big day on the Fourth of July are being arranged at the Isle of Palms, Charleston's famous Summer resort.

Fifteen years ago, the first Fourth was celebrated at this beach, which had been converted from a strip of sand hills into a substantial frolic place, with every natural advantage to promise it popularity, and each year since that time has seen it improved, the climax having recently been reached, when James Sottile, of Charleston, acquired control both of the Isle of Palms resort and the ferry line and electric railroad connecting it with Charleston. Formerly known as Long Island, and, tradition has it, the landing place of Capt. Kidd, the Isle of Palms took its name because of the immense number of palm trees growing over its nine miles of territory. In the past two years $150,000 has been spent improving the beach properties, until today the resort is one of the best in the South.

On the Fourth of July, with a low tide in the morning leaving a perfect beach 500 feet wide and many miles long in prime shape for such sport, motorcycle races are announced, riders of the South being invited to enter the various events, a silver trophy championship cup and many special prizes being offered. Only twin-cylinder machines will run. M. S. Sullivan, of Charleston, is manager of the races.

The afternoon hours on the Fourth will be devoted to the surf which attains its best at flood tide. For five years, no fatality has occurred in the Isle of Palms surf, a statement that few resorts are able to make. Systematic precautions for the safety of bathers, and an ideal, gently declining bottom explain this remarkable record. There is no undertow at the Isle of Palms.

Concert music, dancing all day and until late at night, seafood dinners, boating, fishing, crabbing, drawing the seine, beach races, and promenading on the board walk are some of the special features for Independence Day at the Isle of Palms. The Atlanta City Salesmen will be among out-of-town visitors.

HARNETT WOMAN MISSING.

Mrs. Rosa Faircloth Disappears and Foul Play Feared.

Angier, N. C., June 28.—Thursday Mrs. Rosa Faircloth, wife of Daniel Faircloth, of near Barclaysville, Harnett county, left her home, husband and infant. When last seen she was making her way towards a dense forest.

Her mother and step-father, Mr. Lucian Johnson, are making inquiries about her, as it is feared foul play has been committed since they have heard nothing of her whereabouts.

Miss Clara Killingsworth, of Augusta, Ga., arrived last night and is a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. P. Weathersbee, No. 516 Grace street.

At the Beach Today

surf bathing. Concerts morning, afternoon and night at the hotels and Lumina. (Advertisement.)

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WITH THE MOVIES

Reviewing the happenings of the past week at the popular Bijou, amusement lovers must inevitably reach the conclusion that this theatre offers the greatest, biggest and most expensive in the moving picture field and at the smallest price—5 cents admission, afternoon or night. Tomorrow's show will appeal strongly to devotees of the movies. Kalem's stupendous dramatic, "In the Power of Blacklegs," will head the show. It tells a story of heart-interest and a young woman who works in a big department store and is made the dupe of the son of her employer. "The School Principal," Lubin's latest and greatest, is also one of tomorrow's stars, and it tells a highly dramatic story of love and defiance. Among the other fine film numbers is the freshest Essanay, "Their Baby." It is a corker for laughs, and it will tickle the sides of every one.

Tomorrow at the Grand.

Five big pictures, plenty of new overtures, fitting incidental music, with the tiny price of 5 cents admission, afternoon and night, will be the big way the Grand will inaugurate its new week tomorrow. The five pictures are of splendid variety and the very latest. In the dramatic line the leader is Edison's "John Manly's Awakening," with the well known actor, Augustus Phillips, and the clever actress, Bessie Learn, in the stellar roles. "The Yarn of the Nancy Belle" is another dramatic of extraordinary power. Lubin's "Doing Like Daisy" leads the big bunch of joy, and it tells the story of an old maid who tries to appear young.

Pathe's "The French Army's Maneuvers" is a glittering, brilliant educational film, while another photoplay of much interest and entertainment is "The Opening Bud."

CITY LEAGUE BASEBALL

Giants and Company B, Winners of Interesting Games Yesterday

The Giants and Company B were the winners in two fast and interesting games on the Parsley diamond yesterday afternoon, the Giants winning over the Rattlers 11 to 1 and Company B administering a whitewash to the Athletics 3 to 0. The first game was close and exciting up to the fifth frame, when the losing team went to pieces. Features were the fielding of the Giants' team and Holt's pitching, having struck out nine and allowed only six well-scattered hits.

Giants		11	7	3
Rattlers		1	6	5

Holt and Moore; Boswell and Wilson.

The second game was fast and cleanly played, Register's pitching and fast infield work by Company B being the features. This was the first shut-out game of the season.

Company B		3	9	0
Athletics		0	2	0

Register and Burnett; Bell and Bell. Umpire, Leo Lacy, both games.

A. C. L. WON FROM GIRLIES

Splendid Game of Ball at League Park Yesterday Afternoon

The Atlantic Coast Line baseball team won from the Bloomer Girls at League Park yesterday afternoon, but not by such a margin as they could afford to boast of even if they were disposed to be so ungallant as to crow over their victory, though they may well feel jubilant over the fact that they were not defeated. The score was 3 to 2 in favor of the Coast Line boys and it is said that they had to work hard to get the lead of one run over their opponents. In fact, the game is described as having been one of the best ever played on the grounds, barring none. There were about 400 fans out to witness the contest.

Features of the game were the fine pitching of Miss May Wilson, for the Bloomer Girls, and Green, for the locals, also the hitting of Lewis and Green.

COLORED COTTON FARMER

Negro at Kelly Has Forty Acres in Full Bloom

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kelly, N. C., June 28.—James Dunn, an old colored man, who is by far the best cotton farmer in this section, has about 40 acres of the staple in full bloom, on his large swamp farm; and is expecting one and a half to two bales per acre, and that without using a pound of commercial fertilizer. He is one of the finest examples to his race that the State can show.

Kelly is glad to welcome back one of her fine young farmers, Mr. Willie Anderson, who has been away from home some time, engaged in the dairy business.

New York, June 28.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $35,272,250 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $8,537,400 from last week.

At the Beach Today

surf bathing. Concerts morning, afternoon and night at the hotels and Lumina. (Advertisement.)

Berlin, June 27.—Justice Geord is acceptable to Germany as an ambassador.

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TO CELEBRATE THE FOURTH

Lumberton Expecting a Record-breaking Crowd Next Friday—Senator Overman Will Speak—Many Attractions

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., June 28.—All indications point to a record-breaking crowd in Lumberton next Friday, July 4th. With favorable weather it is likely that more people will be in town than ever were before at one time. The attractions are enough to draw a crowd. Senator Overman's speech alone ought to bring out a large number. . . . . .

And then there is to be a flying machine, a fine band, the bloomer girls' baseball team and numerous other features for amusement and entertainment.

Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases will open for a two weeks' term Monday, with Judge Lyon presiding. There are now about 30 prisoners in jail, and but for the Recorder's courts in various parts of the county there would have been many more.

There was a case of smallpox in the jail a few days ago, but the patient has recovered, the others have been vaccinated and no further trouble is expected.

Recorder Gus McLean sent Charles Dilliard, a colored barber, to the roads this week for 30 days, for too frequent visits to the demijohn.

Although Lumberton has as careful automobile drivers as any town, there are a few who are reckless and during the week children in two instances came very near being rundown. There is going to be trouble unless more care is exercised.

So many marriages of late have almost made it a style for the autos to wear cow bells. They have also been found strapped to outgoing bridal trunks. The sound is familiar, bringing up scenes of the long ago when old-fashion youngsters drove the cows to pasture.

Cruelty to animals on the part of heartless drivers in town has attracted attention and will likely result in indictments.

The postoffice site man was here this week for two days looking for a suitable place for the new building. Where will the postoffice be? is a question that agitates the minds of the folks. However, if city delivery is established, it doesn't make a great deal of difference where the building is put, since it can't be centrally located. Some Lumberton dirt, it is noted, is worth about $1 a pound—for site purposes.

Mr. J. T. Barker, the veteran cow dealer, tells of a cow that he saw at Monroe the other day, that was indeed a remarkable animal. She was one of a lot of 10 bought in the State of New York for $1,750 and is a Holstein. Mr. Barker says he saw her milked and saw the milk weighed, the amount being 10 gallons, or 80 pounds.

Mr. R. H. Crichton, for four years bookkeeper for the Lumberton, Dresden & Jennings Cotton Mills, has decided to go into the livestock business with his father-in-law, Mr. C. M. Fuller, and will give up his position August 15th. He made his decision three months ago but it was not generally known until this week.

Capt. J. P. Russell, superintendent of the V. & C. S. Railroad, notes that in the item last week about connection between his road and the S. A. L., the writer did not go far enough. His train is always held for the S. A. L. train if there is telegraphic advice that the Seaboard carries passengers for his train, provided he doesn't have to hold his train as long as to break his connection at Hope Mills with the A. C. L.

Preparations are being made for the removal of the old tobacco warehouse at the Seaboard station. Large quantities of flour, meal, hay, grain, etc., stored in it, have been moved. Ground is being broken and the old building will be moved to another lot.

Greatly improved crop conditions are reported from nearly all sections of the county, but there is little doubt that in some sections there has been too much rain, making it impossible for the farmers to keep up with their work.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McAllister have moved into their elegant new home at Seventh and Chesnut streets. Their former residence will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Page, while the home they vacate will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Regan McIntyre, who will begin housekeeping on their return from their bridal trip.

Deputy Postmaster R. O. Edmund, who has been away with his family on a ten days' vacation, has returned.

Lumberton is keeping right up with the big cities. A new market offers choice cuts at 35 cents a pound, which is something new, but folks don't mind the price if they can get what they want, it seems.

Mr. E. D. McNeill and Mr. O. C. Deese yesterday exchanged town for country property, Mr. McNeill securing from Mr. Deese a valuable farm between here and Fairmont, in return for the two-story residence on Fourth street, formerly occupied by Mr. McNeill.

Last Saturday night was remarkable in that no sign of whiskey was to be seen. The way the law is being enforced as regards blind tigers is a caution.

The Pope Drug Co., has purchased three fine cows which have been tested and found to be in perfect condition; and their milk will be served at the soda fountain of the firm in drinks and cream.

The County Commissioners have instructed County Attorney E. J. Britt to secure the services of an expert accountant to assist the new auditor, Mr. J. M. McCallum, in auditing the accounts to July 1st.

The time card at the postoffice shows that mail for No. 19, leaving here at 7:18 A. M., is made up and closed at 6:45 the evening before; mail for Wilmington on train No. 20, leaving here at 9:47 P. M., closes at 6:45 P. M., and mail for Fayetteville leaving at 8:20 P. M., closes at 6:45 P. M. A letter for Maxton put in here at 6:50 P. M., according to the card, would leave here the next morning at 5:35.

FUNERAL OF MRS. PARKER

Remains Taken from Newbern to Goldsboro Yesterday

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., June 28.—The remains of Mrs. Julia McKinne Parker, wife of Sim B. Parker, a sister of D. E. McKinne, of Princeton, and a native of Wayne county, and for many years a resident of this city, were brought here at noon today from Newbern, where her death occurred yesterday suddenly, and the funeral held from the train, the service being conducted by Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church.

Rubber Sole Oxfords
For ladies and gents at Peterson & Rulfs. (Advertisement.) 2t.

ENDORSE SPECIAL SESSION

Raleigh Merchants Support Governor Craig in Matter of Calling Legislature Together—State's Trust Company

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 28.—Raleigh merchants in their regular meeting endorsed Governor Craig and the Just Freight Rate Association and went on record as favoring the special session of the Legislature which it is proposed to call.

A good deal of time was taken up in discussion of the recent State convention at Wrightsville Beach and the subject of rates occupied the attention of the meeting. Personal experiences as to discriminatory rates were related. A resolution was adopted reading as follows:

"Resolved, That the Raleigh Merchants' Association endorse the position taken by the Just Freight Rate Association of North Carolina, through its officials, and that we again endorse the action of that organization in urging the Governor of North Carolina to call a special session of the Legislature to enact laws to give North Carolina equitable freight rates."

Citizens of Harnett county were here yesterday demanding an adjustment of the telephone rates before the Corporation Commission. No immediate relief was granted but the Commission will go into the matter fully.

The opening meeting of the campaign for good roads in this county was held today. Dr. Templeton, president of the county good roads organization, spoke, as did several others. Under the Griffin bill of the last Legislature the county is authorized to vote on bonds for good roads. The meeting also had to do with an effort to get the county roads in shape by the time Governor Craig and the touring party over the central highway passes through on their way from the Tennessee line to Morehead City, where the State convention of good roads advocates will be held next month.

Charles H. Bowlds, former cashier of the Bank of Macclesfield, and secretary and treasurer of the now celebrated State's Trust Co., with the Wilmington date line, has been here preparing for his trial in July. He is under bond for his appearance, one of his sureties being President W. B. Cooper, of the American National Bank of Wilmington. It is asserted on apparent good authority that Ector H. Smith, president of the company, and W. O. Tarver, vice president, will both be at the trial. It is said that they both would have come to the State voluntarily but for the amount of bonds required, $15,000, a sum they said they found inconvenient to put up.

President Smith was arrested in Alabama but the Governor of that State would not honor requisition papers from Governor Craig on the ground that Alabama had a prior charge against Smith.

The State's Trust Company had for its object the promotion of banks. Several banks were established, but the Corporation Commission closed three of them and Cashier Bowlds was arrested and held in jail for several weeks, until he gave bond in the sum of $1,000. Cashier Laffoon, of the Bank of Claremont, Catawba, was also arrested and held for some time. The direct charge against all of them was that they violated the banking laws of North Carolina.

The Planters' Warehouse Co., of Henderson, Vance county, has been chartered by the State with authorized capital of $50,000 and paid-in capital of $10,000, with W. B. Daniel, Oscar S. Faulker, S. H. Satterwhite, James A. Kelly and C. J. Smith, of Henderson, as incorporators.

Col. Jos. E. Pogue is back from Morehead City, where he attended the Grand Council of the Red Men. He reports that 110 councils were represented, that there are now more than 6,000 Red Men in the State, and that the net gain was 585 last year. Charlotte, where the next meeting will be held, will spend $1,000 in entertainment.

FUNERAL PASQUOTANK VICTIMS

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cook Buried Yesterday—Sad Occurrence

Elizabeth City, N. C., June 28.—The funeral and interment of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene B. Cook, who lost their lives in the Pasquotank river Thursday night, took place today. It was one of the saddest occurrences in the history of the community. The bodies were found yesterday morning about 9 o'clock near the scene of the tragedy, after an all-night search by many gas boats. The bodies were taken ashore near the famous Cropsey home, where Nell Cropsey mysteriously came to her death in th eriver, Mr. and Mrs. Cook were chaperones of a house party of Miss Marion Woodley, and were with the guests in a small boat when the steamer Pompano struck them. The others of the party escaped unhurt. The couple had only recently married.

Fireworks at the Beach
tomorrow night, weather conditions permitting. Display consists of 125 pieces. (Advertisement.)

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PROGRESSIVE FAIRMONT.

New Baptist Church and Other Improvements—The Messenger.

Fairmont, N. C., June 28.—The Baptist folk of Fairmont have just completed one of the prettiest houses of worship that we know of. In design and architecture it is unsurpassed considering the amount expended. It is a brick edifice furnished inside with native pine ceiling overhead. Its seating capacity will be about 400 with a Sunday School room of about 200. It will be lighted with electricity, costing about $15,000 when completed. Not only a new church, but the town has a very nice two-story brick school building with five recitation rooms on the first floor; second floor an auditorium with a seating capacity of 400.

Several new brick business houses are in course of construction. Over a mile of paved sidewalks have recently been completed. With Fairmont's good cotton and tobacco market, a strong bank with deposits averaging about $75,000, several good business houses, we do not see why she should not early develop into one of the best towns in Eastern Carolina, as she is situated in one of the finest farming sections in Robeson county. Its people are progressive and thoroughly alive to every interest that tends to prosperity. Good churches, schools and health make a place worth living in. I think most any business would thrive here except an undertaker or a marble dealer. I have spent the day here looking over the place and I have seen no sign of either establishment. I saw only one doctor and think he was preparing to move away for the Summer. Dr. Brown, one of the resident physicians, was away today probably looking after his farmer duties. There are good doctors here and well equipped drug stores which are kept in readiness in case they are needed.

The Beaufort County Lumber Co., one of the largest lumbering concerns, is located here, and employs several hundred men with a large weekly pay roll. Mr. Phillips is manager and is not only a fine business man, but a good all-round fellow with a good word for everyone with whom he comes in contact.

The Fairmont Messenger has recently moved into its own home. It has a splendid concrete building, two stories. It has a well equipped plant and is in position to do most any kind of printing.

The tobacco around Fairmont is very good and while cotton is small, it is doing as well as could be expected under present conditions. The largest cotton we have seen is near Fairmont. Everything is being put in readiness for curing tobacco.

E. C. W.

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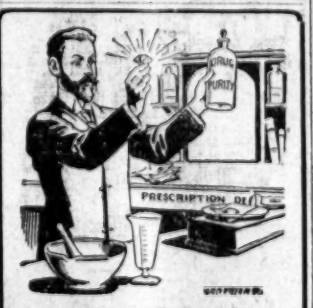

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Program for Sunday
June 29th, 1913

AFTERNOON, 4:00 O'CLOCK

1. Medley—"Take Me Back to that Suwanee Shore" Muir & Gilbert
2. Valse Chante—"You Will Never Know,".. .. ..Joseph Rico
3. Selection—"Little Miss Fix-It,".. .. .. Bayes & Norworth
4. Indian Intermezzo—"Morning Star,".. .. ..Neil Moret
5. Overture—"Morning, Noon and Night in Vienna," Franz Von Suppe

INTERMISSION

6. March—"Amicizia," .. ..W. Paris Chambers
7. Serenata Cubana—"Enia,".... .. .. .W. Paris Chambers
8. Medley Overture—"The Winsome Widow," .. ..Arr. Ribe Danmark
9. Chinese March—"Ylang Ylang,".. .. ..Bert R. Anthony
10. Medley March—"All Night Long,".. .. ..Brooks & Strouse

NIGHT, 8:30 O'CLOCK

1. Spanish March—"La Guapa," ... ...J. Buisson
2. Sacred Song—"The Crucifix," ... ...J. Faure
3. Operatic Potpourri—"Echoes from the Metropolitan Opera House," ... ...Arr. Theo. M. Tobani
4. Melody in "F," ... ...Anton Rubinstein
5. Characteristic—"The Whispering Flowers,".. .. ..Von Blon
6. Cello Solo—Selected .. ..Mr. Jose Gasca
7. Finale—"American Patrol,"... ... ...F. W. Meacham

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective January 5, 1913. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:20 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:15 A.M.
No. 51, * 5:35 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50, *12:20 A.M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P.M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 49, * 6:15 P.M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P.M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, * 1:40 P.M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41, *10:00 A.M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, ! 8:35 A.M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of Moore's Creek Battle Ground Association is called to meet at the Battlegrounds on Thursday, July 3rd, at 2 P. M., for the purpose of selecting a date for the annual celebration, also to let the grounds to the highest bidder to sell refreshments, and to attend to such other business as will come before the Association. A full meeting of the members is desired.

GEO. J. MOORE, President.
E. E. MURPHY, Secretary.
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SEABOARD
Air Line Railway
Schedule Effective April 27th, 1913.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON:
No. 19—5 A. M., arrive Hamlet, 9:00 A. M. Leave Hamlet, 9:20 A. M.; arrive Charlotte, 12:10 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with trains Nos. 4 for Raleigh, Norfolk, Richmond and All Points North, and with No. 1 for Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa and all points South. At Monroe, with train No. 29, for Atlanta.
DAILY SLEEPER ON NO. 19 TRAIN FOR CHARLOTTE. OPEN FOR OCCUPANCY AT 10 O'CLOCK P. M.
No. 13—3:05 P. M.; arrive Hamlet, 7:35 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11:00 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and All Points North. Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte.
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No. 14—12:30 P. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.
No. 20—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.
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Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a.m.	10:40 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
IN EFFECT MAY 31, 1913.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:30 A.M.	6:05 A.M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:10 A.M.
10:00 P.M.	7:45 A.M.
11:00 P.M. and every half hour	
12:00 P.M. thereafter until	
6:15 P.M.	11:45 P.M.

Express Trains stop only at Wrightsville and at Stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
9:30 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
3:30 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:35 P.M.

Freight Depot open daily except Sunday, from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.
FREIGHT DEPOT TELEPHONE: NO. 96.
NOTE—Unpacked Ice will be handled only on the 6:00 A. M. trip.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	7:45 A.M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A.M.
10:00 P.M.	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P.M.	11:45 P.M.
12:00 P.M.	

Express Trains stop only at Wrightsville and at Stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT.

11:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.

Freight Depot open from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.
FREIGHT DEPOT TELEPHONE: NO. 96.

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NEW YORK TO WILMINGTON.
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Steamer "Cherokee," Fri., July 11th, 1913.

WILMINGTON TO NEW YORK.
Steamer "Cherokee," Sat., July 5th, 1913.
Steamer "Navahoe," Sat., July 12th, 1913.

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Leaves Fort Caswell for Wilmington at 12:00 M. Leaves Southport, 12:15 P. M.
Leaves Wilmington for Carolina Beach Pier at 2:45 P. M. and leaves Pier, on return, at 6:00 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE:
Leaves Wilmington for Carolina Beach Pier at 9:00 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. For Southport, 9:00 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.
Leaves Southport for Wilmington, at 11:30 A. M. and 4:45 P. M. Leaves Carolina Beach Pier at 12:45, 6:00 and 8:30 P. M.
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THE WILMINGTON STAR CO.,
Wilmington, N. C.

(Sunday, June 29, 1913.

"Remember the Sabbath Day."

In England does he get everything he Asquith?

Everything done in the interest of the people is not to their interest.

Governor Blease seems to head the procession of "the passing show."

Don't take poison by mistake. Don't take anything in the dark. Take care. Take it easy while it's hot.

What can a man do? He can do something foolish in a moment and not be able to forget it so long as he lives.

Couldn't a number of Wilmington's generous benefactors establish an industrial and technical school for boys and girls?

Senator Gallinger's idea of President Wilson confirms our suspicions that Gallinger's determination not to reform is hopelessly chronic.

During the hottest kind of weather, the Republicans in Congress still manage to give the cold shoulder to tariff revision and monetary reform.

Qpoth the Charleston News and Courier: "Kissing is under the ban in Yonkers." The probability is that it is mostly under the porch vine.

Most of the melons cut on Wall Street are handed around to a few. That is Wall Street's idea of prosperity without regard to those who furnish the melons.

Hot or no hot, President Wilson is going to stay right in Washington to see the thing out. Wilson is the people's resourceful and dependable executive. He is right on the job.

We wish we were a library so Mr. Carnegie could offer us something on the usual reasonable terms. He makes conditions, as a matter of course, because he wants to make sure that he isn't throwing his money away.

Says the Jacksonville Times-Union: "Just listen to Ambassador Page! He has gone to boosting the South over in England." We knew that when North Carolina contributed a Page to the government's service there was something in it.

Chicken pie a la Robeson county, rice, macaroni, creamed potatoes, buttermilk biscuits, sliced tomatoes, peach pie, strawberry preserves, Jersey butter, sweet milk, ice cream and things like that, ought to hold anybody a while.

The goat is beginning to be appreciated at last. We have known all along that the goat was no joke, and now the Agricultural Department is giving publicity to the fact that Billie and Nannie are dependable animals for milk, cheese and meat.

As the tide of Washington's floating population flows in and out, it includes bridal couples stopping over on their Northern tour, officeseekers stopping over on a pilgrimage, and lobbyists insidiously endeavoring to stop legislation in the interest of the people.

It is complained that the drivers of the ice wagons in Cincinnati waited till hot weather to go on a strike. If they had waited till cold weather set in the joke would have been on the drivers. Selection of the season indicates that the drivers are capable of forming a motive.

Former Governor Comer, of Alabama, insists that he made the best Governor Alabama ever had, and, therefore, he ought to be elected to another term as Governor. Most Governors think the same thing about themselves, but the average record shows that they have sold themselves a gold brick.

The Hon. William Randolph Hearst has announced that he has decided to throw the weight of his influence in favor of the Newlands river regulation bill. No announcement has yet been made that Mr. Hearst's support has caused anything like a volcanic eruption of exuberance on the part of Senator Newlands.

MEDICAL INSPECTION OF SERVANTS.

The Star this morning is carrying a story on the subject of the reference system for domestic servants, which the housekeepers of Wilmington are planning to put in operation. In its foreign correspondence there is also reference to a "Typhoid Mary" in Germany, who transmitted typhoid bacilli to 23 persons. The story of our American "Typhoid Mary" is well known. In view of the medical research work now going on at the Marine Hospital here, in which school children are being examined, the reference system, which deals with a servant's standing as a worker, coupled with the idea of "Typhoid Marys" in the homes, will serve to call attention to the importance of the physical examination of domestic servants, which, it seems to us, is a perfectly logical step in the march of civic betterment and health development.

Since the germ theory of disease was established, medical men have had a great deal to say about the transmission of disease by contact with "carriers". These "carriers" are persons who harbor the germs of disease but who show no symptoms of having the disease. Servants in the South are almost exclusively negroes who do not live in the homes, as a rule, where they work; but they return to their own places of abode, where they come in contact with servants from other homes and with negroes from all sorts of places. That the negro home, as a rule, is not a model of cleanliness, is well known, though it is only fair to note that some negro housekeepers are as finicky about the condition of their homes as "white folks." We also know that tuberculosis and diseases not referred to by name in polite society, are common among negroes. Now the question arises, just how much of the disease found among white people is transmitted by servants?

If we undertake to cure and prevent disease by examination of school children, and seek to improve the character of the service rendered by domestic servants, it is but natural that we go still farther and require these servants to be examined also, for what would be the value of the work in the case of the children unless we safeguard them at home? And while insisting that the servants employed be capable in their domestic duties, should we not also insist that they live in sanitary surroundings and be of good health? It seems to us that this is the natural and logical outcome of work of the kind the Marine Hospital has instituted in its medical inspection of school children.

Cases are known where nurse girls have returned to their homes at night, where diphtheria, tuberculosis and other diseases existed, and come day after day to care for young children. The transmission of itch to children, doctors say, by the nurses who tend them is a common occurrence.

The reference system for servants is practically a new idea in this country, though in some countries, notably in Germany, it has long been in vogue. In Germany a servant is required to have a book showing just where and how long she has worked as a domestic. It is highly probable that the health feature will be added to the simple requirement of evidence as to the character of work a servant can perform; and eventually it must be that a certificate from the health office will be required.

Of course, it may be some time before such a policy will become fixed by law, but we are confident that in the splendid progress being made in health legislation, it will not be a great while before attention will be directed to the subject. We are learning more and more day by day of diseases, their cure and particularly of their prevention—the most important item of all, and since servants come into more intimate contact with members of the family than do the neighbors, it is evident that servants are, potentially, among the greatest factors concerned in carrying and transmitting disease, and as a public health policy, they should undergo health inspection.

BREAKWATER AT THE BEACH.

A number of cottage owners at Wrightsville Beach are considering the advisability of constructing a seawall along a portion of the shore at Wrightsville Beach. Along a low stretch of the beach very high tides send the swash underneath the cottages and around the steps to the front entrance. Ordinarily, there is no danger to the property, but during stormy weather nervous persons would rather not listen to the continuous swashing of the shallow inset that sweeps majestically under the front part of their cottage. Not that they are afraid, except that a storm that possibly may come along once in ten or twenty years might do some damage to the underpinning of the cottages.

So far as the danger is really concerned, there is none unless there should happen to be a West India hurricane, and even then few cottages would be damaged if their foundations are laid below the water line and there is room enough beneath for the water to swish its way to the sand dunes. However, in order to have the front entrance for the use of the family instead of the laughing waters, and as a matter of protection to property during the big tides of the equinoxial period, many of the cottages would gladly co-operate in a plan to construct a stone or concerete wall along the ocean front. It would be a protection, of course, but should the cottagers unite with the Tidewater Power Company in the construction of a breakwater, there are those who picture in their minds that it would add to the attractiveness of the beach.

Some go so far as to hope that a breakwater will be erected the entire length of the beach, a distance of nearly two miles, and that the crest be converted into a concrete walk for the use of beach strollers. It would take the place of a board walk, while privileges along it could be granted to those who might wish to keep stands or various attractions. That would not be a bad idea, and even should not the entire beach front be walled, say to a height of three to five feet, a portion of the ocean front might be converted into the prettiest promenade along the shore.

It is understood that some of the cottagers will consult an engineer and contractors in order to get the proposition into shape for definite consideration. We confess that from both a safety and aesthetic point of view, a breatwater promenade would look good to us.

ADDITIONAL STEAMSHIP SERVICE

The central and western portions of the State are much impressed with the idea of making a greater port of Wilmington as one of the sure means of relieving the transportation situation in this State. The Maxwell proposition will not down and the papers continue to discuss it. The Charlotte Chronicle again refers to it, as follows:

"It is hardly probable that Clerk A. J. Maxwell would have advocated a recourse for the shippers of the State without at least discussing it to some extent with members of the State Corporation Commission. And the chairman of that board was present at the meeting at which Mr. Maxwell advanced the idea for a steamship line and apparently give the suggestion his approval. These gentlemen are not accustomed to act ill-advisedly. In some respects the suggestion might be untimely. In other respects it was very apropos. And we are rather inclined to the opinion that the latter considerations overbalance the former. This State doesn't want to leave any stone unturned in this campaign for relief from exorbitant freight rates."

Owing to the fact that the Germania Manufacturing Company, recently chartered, proposes to construct extensive terminals in Wilmington, it will make it all the easier for capitalists in North Carolina to operate their own line under that company's charter. Those terminals also will be available for any steamship line that may wish to enter the port of Wilmington for either coastwise or Panama canal traffic. Once the manufactured products of North Carolina begin to move to Wilmington for export, there will be no lack of steamship service and business for the railroads as a natural consequence. The Panama canal ought to give great impetus to the manufacturing interests of the State.

THE WILMINGTON PEACH.

The horticultural editor of The Star has claimed from time immemorial that the section around Wilmington is ideally adapted to peach growing, especially to the early varieties. The evidence to that effect accumulates, because our friends are showing us the fruit of our contentions. Mr. Joseph H. Hinton was the last, so far, to present this scribe with a basket of fine peaches, grown on his model dairy farm a mile and a half from the city limits, on the Castle Haynes road.

Three years ago Mr. Hinton planted 40 trees, and despite the damage from an exceedingly cold Spring, he is gathering many baskets of fine peaches. Those presented to this consumer were beauties. They were nearly as large as a teacup, their flavor was delicious, and their fragrance was distracting. On a down of tan there was a red blush that gave the Hinton product the appearance of rare beauty. There was not a flaw in them and they were perfect in looks and superlative in the nectar of their quality.

A Northern gentleman, who comes from a fine fruit growing country in New York, marveled at the specimens from Mr. Hinton's farm and said that a train load of them in New York would not be there 15 minutes till every one would be sold. Yet, it is strange our people will not plant orchards and reap a harvest of wealth from early peaches. Mr. Hinton says there is nothing to keep them from doing it, as all that is necessary is to give the trees proper attention. The Star hopes everybody will plant trees this Fall, and no longer neglect the opportunity to make this a famous peach country. There have been no such peaches on the market as have been brought to us by Wilmington growers since the latter part of May.

The question of water rates for the suburban citizens no doubt has two full-grown sides, as all questions have, but the one big fact is that the people of the city pay taxes for the water system that the suburban citizen does not pay, and it seems to us nothing more than an equitable arrangement for the suburbanite to pay more for his water than the man inside. How much more is not for us to say, but there is no doubt that it should be more.

Says the New Orleans States: "More scientific studies show that the cost of living has increased." Most of us have decreased the cost of living by trying to make more or eat less, mostly the latter.

CURRENT COMMENT.

"It was the trusts who put the rage in the average man."—Wilmington Star. And the average man is trying to put the rust into the trusts.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

And talk about a line of steamers from Wilmington to compete with the railroads, who is going to attend to them and see that we do not get it in the neck? And if this is not done, how much lower rates are we of the middle country going to get?—Greensboro Record.

The farmers of Watauga county are selling quantities of hay to the railroad contractors. The News says Watauga is full of hay in the stack and mentions one farmer who has 12 stacks in a bunch. It is quite probable that Watauga is the greatest hay-growing county in the State.—Charlotte Observer.

We all hear much talk about quick transportation. Passenger and mail trains do make better time, but, men and brethren, listen: When the C. F. & Y. V., was in competition with the then R. & D. goods were ordered here one afternoon—say Monday afternoon—and Wednesday morning by 10 o'clock they were in the house. This was a common practice. In two weeks after the Southern gobbled up the C. F., the same freight required at least four days and now if it gets in within a week it is doing well. The Record used to buy most of its stock in Richmond and we know what we are talking about.—Greensboro Record.

A boat line, owned by the business interests of the State and the State jointly, or merely by the business interests, could be relied upon to refrain from "gentlemen's agreements" and give North Carolina real water competition that would put the Norfolk rate into Wilmington—and later into Lookout and probably a number of other eastern towns.—Kinston Free Press.

SUBURBAN WATER RATES.

To the Editor of The Star:

That was a decidedly "progressive" movement of the Councilmen in deciding to double the water rates of residents of Carolina Heights and Carolina Place. It would be well for a city to realize that its suburbs contribute a good portion of the red blood that circulate through the life of the city. The progress of Wilmington was not begun until suburbs were developed. In other cities, everything possible is done to develop suburbs, as it is realized that in time they will become a valuable portion of the city. Wilmington has never given the slightest encouragement to the residents of Carolina Heights and Carolina Place and it is not to be wondered at that there is no sentiment among them to be incorporated within its limits.

Market street, which is the only street that is hardly in passable condition from Tenth, and which the residents of these suburbs have to daily traverse in order to get to their homes, is a disgrace to any civilized community. If Council would take steps to improve this thoroughfare and those parallel and in some way show the people residing in these suburbs some consideration, probably there would be some sentiment developed among them to become a part of a city that is doing something for the outlying sections instead of spending all appropriations in the downtown sections.

Another point we would like to make is that all water pipes in Carolina Heights were paid for and are owned by the Bridgers estate, and it has been suggested that the residents start a water system of their own, which would not be such a great expense, as the pipes would only have to be disconnected from the city system and attached to a new system. Of course, this would deprive the city of quite a nice revenue, but the residents would prefer such a move rather than be coerced into doing a thing which they do not care to do at present.

It is probably not known to everyone that Carolina Heights already has its own sewerage system, which is far superior to the one owned by the city of Wilmington.

If there are any advantages to be derived from becoming a part of the city, we fail to see them, judging from those now enjoyed by persons living east of Tenth street to the city limits.

In regard to the fire department responding to alarms at Carolina Heights which was the subject of a long article in our evening paper several days since, when the department responded to an alarm at Mr. Brooks' residence, which is within the city limits, would say that it has always been understood that if the residents of Carolina Heights needed any fire service, it would be paid for, the amount being decided by the city authorities. It seems that if the fire department could respond to calls at Sea Gate, it could certainly be allowed to portect county property much more valuable.

We trust that the City Council will reconsider their action. If they do not, we would remind some of them that, though the residents of Carolina Heights have no city vote, they probably wield some little influence when it comes to city elections.

A SUBURBANITE.

June 28, 1913.

FREIGHT RATE SITUATION.

To the Editor of The Star:

There are a few fundamental things—principles and conditions—the understanding of which will serve to clear up the freight rate situation.

In the Atlantic States the natural and original medium of communication was water transportation, and all rail inter-State rates in this territory base directly or indirectly on water competition.

The long and short haul clause of the Inter-State Commerce law is the legal recognition of an economic situation growing out of water competition at terminal points, and these points are usually basing points.

A lower charge for a greater distance to meet competitive conditions so far from being a disadvantage to intermediate points is precisely the contrary. These basing rates are abnormally low, and are reflected back to intermediate points procuring for them lower rates than would otherwise prevail.

Rail carriers must either meet water competition or abandon all share in this business, and to abandon such business could not possibly have a beneficial effect on intermediate rates. Any rate to a competitive point that earns something over cost of operation is a contribution to the carrier's net receipts, which makes it possible at once to maintain lower rates to intermediate points and provide a more frequent and regular service.

The State charters public carriers primarily for public convenience, and public policy in limiting the income from this form of property distinguishes it from other forms not affected with a public interest.

The question of equitable freight rates is a matter of relationship, and assuming a relation to be just the greatest benefit to be derived from transportation utilities is efficiency of service.

Sound public policy should require a just relationship of rates, permit ample income to carriers, and demand maximum efficiency of service.

Railroads are not abstractions neither are they aliens. They represent the holdings of citizens—many of them women—and this form of investment is entitled to the full protection of the law on equal terms with other property.

Whatever may have been the abuses of corporate wealth in the past, no thinking man can doubt that corporations are now subject to the law and responsive to public sentiment to a greater degree than ever before.

J. A. TAYLOR.

Wilmington, N. C., June 28, 1913.

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MRS. EDDY'S SUCCESSOR

Mrs. Stetson in Book Considers Herself Science Leader

(New York Times.)

Now that Mrs. Augusta A. Stetson has made clear, definite, and public announcement in all the dignity of book form that she considers herself the successor and practically the reincarnation of Mrs. Eddy, it can confidently be assumed that before long the group of men who gained official and financial control of the Christian Science organization and machinery after the death, or seeming death, of its founder will be relegated to the subordinate positions which they formerly occupied.

Mrs. Stetson's claim to recognition as leader of the cult is thoroughly well based. She is a woman in every way so nearly like Mrs. Eddy in character and thought that for the one to take the other's place so far as it can be taken is more than logical—it is inevitable. Those of us who view Christian Science from the outside, and therefore with impartiality as regards its factions, can plainly see that its present managers are of heterodox beliefs and practices—that they have not kept the faith, but have made, in an attempt to conciliate the negligible antagonism of those who do not understand Mrs. Eddy's doctrines, one weak concession after another to so-called reason till now the system is hardly distinguishable from now thought or mental healing.

This is a comfortable, but fatal, policy, for history shows that peace has invariably been the precursor or extinction for every such movement. Mrs. Stetson has never abandoned any principle of the original, authoritative teaching. No more than did Mrs. Eddy herself does she recoil from expounding the concepts by which the uninitiative are most startled, and she calmly repeats today, in almost identical words, what Mrs. Eddy said as to the need for defense against the evil thoughts of malignant enemies. In nothing more than this is her perfect orthodoxy demonstraeed, and in nothing is the falling away from fixed standards by the Boston group more plainly shown than by their evident wish that Mrs. Eddy's sturdy belief in the possibility of torture and assassination by this projection of malice should be forgotten.

Never having manifested any friendliness to Christian Science, The Times cannot pretend to advise its followers, but it honestly believes that the wisest and sincerest of them will side with Mrs. Stetson in the war so evidently at hand.

OLD FOLKS' PATHETIC PLIGHT.

Husband Helpless, Wife Paralyzed in the Night Time.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., June 28.—Mr. Elbert E. Gordon, a well known resident of Kinston, was stricken with paralysis following the marriage of his last single child several days ago, and last night was awakened to find his wife prostrate on the floor with a stroke. The couple, well past middle age, were alone in their home in the eastern end of the city. The husband, almost totally helpless, could not help her, and was unable to call for assistance. Mr. Gordon staggered to a window and with his remaining serviceable hand rang a tiny bell until neighbors came to his aid.

John Moses, a negro man, is in the county jail here in default of bond, for attempted criminal assault. His body is cut about both shoulders, the chest and back, seven gashes in all, inflicted by the father of the intended victim, a colored girl. His injuries are severe, but not of a serious nature. The attempt was made at a farm three miles from LaGarange, and Moses was arrested by a deputy sheriff and brought here today.

At Rutledge & Co.'s lumber mill in South Kinston are the two largest cypress logs ever brought to this city. The tree from which they were taken measured 11 feet, one inch in diameter where cut, and after taking off a butt cut of 12 feet the second stick measures five feet, three inches and the third stick five feet, eight inches. The two sticks contain over 6,000 feet of lumber. They could not be sawed and will be split with powder.

"BEER" WASN'T ALCOHOLIC

Analysis of Salisbury Slop Shows Up Bad for Beverage

Salisbury, N. C., June 28.—Quite a surprise came today in court circles when a report was received from the assistant State chemist at Raleigh, stating that no traces of alcohol were found in samples from five barrels of beer recently seized by Sheriff J. H. McKenzie. Tobe Lentz was arrested at the time for selling spirituous liquors and it was claimed the beer contained no intoxicants. The sheriff promptly sent samples from the five barrels to the State chemist for analysis.

The substance was known as Maltona and it is said those who have been paying a good price for the beverage here were under the impression they were drinking beer. The report will probably surprise purchasers. Lentz was released from bond and the case dismissed.

Fireworks at the Beach
tomorrow night, weather conditions permitting. Display consists of 125 pieces. (Advertisement.)

ORDINARY STAMPS WILL DO

Use of Distinctive Parcel Post Stamps Will be Discontinued—New Order in Effect July 1st—C. O. D. Packages

Postmaster Green has been advised by the Postoffice Department that the use of the distinctive parcel post stamps will be discontinued just as soon as the present supply is exhausted and that on and after July 1st ordinary postage stamps will be valid for postage and also for insurance and collect on delivery fees on fourth-class mail. The new feature of the parcel post, that of allowing C. O. D. packages to be transmitted, is effective July 1st.

The following order relative to the use of stamps on the packages has been received by Postmaster Green from the Postmaster General:

"On and after July 1st, 1913, ordinary postage stamps, including commemorative issues, shall be valid for postage and for insurance and collect on delivery fees on fourth-class mail, and distinctive parcel post stamps shall be valid for all purposes for which ordinary stamps are valid.

"The issuance of parcel post stamps to postmasters shall be discontinued after the stocks now on hand in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing are exhausted, and no additional supply of these stamps shall be printed."

The C. O. D. feature goes into effect on Tuesday, of this week, and Postmaster Green has received the following relative thereto from the Postoffice Department:

"The sender of a mailable parcel on which the postage is fully prepaid may have the price of the article and the charges thereon collected from the addressee on payment of a fee of ten cents in stamps affixed, provided the amount to be collected does not exceed $100. Such a parcel will be insured against loss, without additional charge, in an amount equivalent to its actual value, but not to exceed $50.

"The sender of a C. O. D. parcel will be given a receipt showing the office and date of mailing, the number of the parcel, and the amount due him.

"A C. O. D. parcel will be accepted for mailing only at a money order office and when addressed to a money order office.

"A distinctive tag shall be attached to each C. O. D. parcel, consisting of three parts or coupons. The first coupon shall be detached and handed to the sender as his receipt; the second coupon shall be held as a record at the mailing office, and the third shall be attached to the parcel.

"The sender of a C. O. D. parcel shall fill in as many of the items on the C. O. D. tag as possible, including the items showing the amount due him, and shall place his name and address on the back. He shall also place his name and address on the back of the coupon retained at the mailing office.

"The C. O. D. tag must show the amount due the sender, the money order fee necessary to make the remittance, and the total money order fee necessary to make the remittance, and the total amount to be collected. The parcel will be treated as ordinary mail until it reaches the office of address, where on payment of all charges, it will be delivered to the addressee, or to any responsible person to whom the addressee's ordinary mail is customarily delivered.

"The addressee will not be permitted to examine the contents of a C. O. D. parcel until it has been receipted for and all charges paid. A parcel may be refused when it is tendered for delivery, but after delivery has been effected it cannot be returnd on account of dissatisfaction with the contents or the amount collected."

SMALL CRIMINAL DOCKET

Only 25 Cases Docketed in Federal Court for This District in Year

The fiscal year in the United States Court ends Monday, June 30th, and Mr. S. P. Collier, the clerk, is busy making up his reports. It is interesting to note the few cases on the criminal side of the docket as compared with the number five or six years ago before the State prohibition law went into effect. For the year ending tomorrow, there have been docketed a total of 25 cases. For the preceding year there were 52 cases docketed. Prior to the enactment of the State prohibition law there were from 100 to 150 criminal cases on the docket at each term of court, most of these being for illicit distilling or retailing. At nearly every term of court in those days there were from 400 to 500 witnesses to receive their per diem. Now there is hardly a corporal's guard in attendance. The main reason for the light docket for the past few years is that the Federal authorities have left it "up to" the State authorities to keep down the sale and manufacture of whiskey.

It is likely that there will be more bankrupts in this district for this calendar year than for any year recently. In 1911 there were eight bankrupts in the entire district, in 1912 there were only four and for the first half of 1913 there have been six. Two or three more are threatened at the present time. However, bankruptcy matters have never been very numerous in this district.

It is not likely that Judge H. G. Connor, of the United States Court for this district, will come down this Summer for the hearing of matters on the equity and admiralty dockets, as announced some time ago, as it is said that the local attorneys have stated that they will have nothing to be heard before Fall. It was announced some time ago that the May term of court had been postponed.

NEGRO MAKES CONFESSION

Bud Anderson Admits That He Shot Jim Moore at Chadbourn

Bud Anderson, colored, who was arrested Thursday for drawing a pistol on John Anderson's wife, yesterday confessed that he is wanted at Chadbourn for shooting Jim Moore, colored, some time ago. In his statement he said that the reason he shot Moore was because of some trouble that Moore had had with his mother. He ran away after the shooting, and says that Moore is now living at Sumter, S. C. There are other reports to the effect that Moore is dead.

When Anderson was first arrested it was thought that he was a negro wanted at Bolton but further investigation showed this to be a mistake. The Bolton officers stated that it was at Chadbourn that he was wanted.

After Anderson's statement late yesterday afternoon Chief Williams wired Chief of Police Benton, of Chadbourn, and he will probably come to the city today. In the meantime, Anderson is being held at the city lock-up.

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HOSPITAL CONTRACT AWARDED

Rhodes & Underwood to Build the Red Cross Tuberculosis Sanitarium. Work to Begin Soon and Completed in Fall.

The contract for the erection of the tuberculosis sanitarium by the Red Cross Society, on a site given by the county, just beyond the city, was awarded to Rhodes & Underwood, the well known contractors, by the building committee yesterday afternoon. Three bids were submitted and that of Rhodes & Underwood was the lowest by about $450. The bid of this firm was about $5,000.

Dr. John C. Wessell is chairman of the building committee. Plans for the sanitarium were prepared by Mr. J. F. Gause, Jr., the architect. The administration building, which will be in the center, two stories in height, with two wings, one story in height, one on each side, for wards for patients, will contain examination room, doctors' office, nurses' dining room, kitchen, and two bed rooms and baths for nurses. One wing will be used for white patients and the other for colored with separate wards for male and female. There will be from five to eight beds for each sex of each race, affording accommodation for 20 to 32 patients. These wings will be equipped with baths and toilets. The large verandas will be enclosed in glass and all outside openings to the rooms will be screened.

Work on the structure will begin in about two weeks and will be pushed to rapid completion, the contract calling for the building to be ready for occupancy 90 days from the date the construction is started. Officers of the Red Cross Society hope to be ready to receive patients by the middle of October. The site given by the county contains five acres and is part of what is known as the County Home property, located on the north side of the Gordon road.

WILMINGTON WINS ANOTHER

This City to be Made Distributing Point for Gallena Oil Company. Rumor That Col. Morton May Return to Live.

Wilmington is to be made a distributing point for the Gallena Oil Company, formerly that part of the Standard Oil Company dealing in lubricating oils. Col. Geo. L. Morton, Southern manager for the company, formerly of this city, but now of Atlanta, is expected here this week to close up the details.

It is understood that the company has options on three sites, and that no decision regarding which site will be selected has been reached. The plant of the company will call for a considerable outlay of money, it is said, though activities will be confined entirely to the storage of stock and filling of orders reaching the central office in Atlanta from the territory naturally tributary to Wilmington.

The company has a branch at Charlotte, one at Richmond, Savannah, Charleston, Jacksonville and other points, but none in this territory, and the selection of Wilmington as a distributing point fills a need that the company has felt for a long time. It means the rapid filling of orders in adjacent territory, and to the city it means the acquisition of another business interest that will increase Wilmington's importance as a commercial center.

Col. Morton's coming to the city this week will be to settle the question of a site and make preparation for inaugurating the business. There is a rumor that the Colonel may move back to Wilmington to live, but this is only a rumor and cannot be verified at this time.

As in every case where new business interests come to Wilmington, the city will welcome the Gallena Company's branch, particularly because the company's coming here is signal recognition of the city's strategic importance as a distributing center possessing unequalled facilities for the transportation of commodities and manufactures. It will probably bring no new people to the city, but it will swell the already enormous aggregate of the annual business of North Carolina's chief port and gateway.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Announcements of Wilmington Pastors for Services Today.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Market and Sixth street, Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Visitors at the beach will find this church conveniently situated on the car line. A cordial welcome to all.

Brooklyn Baptist church, J. A. Sullivan, pastor—Services 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. The morning sermon will be on "A Citizen of Two Empires," and at night "What May I Do to be Lost?" Sunday School at 3:30 P. M., Mr. F. S. Garrison, superintendent. Ladies' Aid Society Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. B. Y. P. U., Thursday night. Bible class and Teachers' meeting Friday night. A cordial welcome to all to all services. The special music Sunday night will be a duet by Miss Carrie Bowen and Mrs. A. T. Young, and a solo by Miss Bowen.

St. John's Episcopal church, Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. W. E. Cax, rector—Holy Comunion 7:30 A. M. Men's Bible class 10 A. M. Services and sermon 11 A. M. Evening prayer 5:30 o'clock. Seats free. All are cordially invited.

St. Matthew's Lutheran church, Rev. G. W. McClanahan, pastor—Morning service at 11 o'clock, subject, "The Righteousness of Christ." Vesper service at 8 P. M. "The Better Way." Sunday school at 10 A. M. The church council will hold its regular meeting on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

St. James' Episcopal church, Rev. Dr. W. H. Milton, rector—Morning prayer and service at 11 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon at Mt. Lebanon chapel, Wrightsville Sound, at 4:45 P. M. Everybody welcome.

First Baptist church, corner Fifth and Market streets, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor—Worship 11 A. M., text "Wist Yet Not That I Must be About My Father's Business." 8 P. M., text, "Lead me to the rock that is higher than I." Sunday School 9:45 A. M.

Trinity Methodist church, corner of Ninth and Market streets, Rev. C. T. Rogers, pastor—Preaching at 11 A. M. subject, "Unconscious Influence." Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. Business Men's Bible class at 3:30 P. M. At 8 P. M. special programme by the Epworth League. Epworth League Monday night at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend all these services.

MINISTERS CONTINUE FIGHT

Will Hold Meeting Tomorrow Morning With Laymen From All Churches to Discuss the Sunday Selling Ordinance

If the ministers of the city have their way, and they believe they will to a large extent, Wilmington will soon be numbered among the cities that have the "lid on tight" on Sundays instead of being the "wide open" city that it is now and has been all these many years. The trouble started with the repeal of the ordinance that has been on the statute books for the past two years and which was designed to limit Sunday selling. This was about three weeks ago.

The law was repealed because it was admitted to be discriminatory and it was thought that it would not stand the test of the courts. It was announced at the time that a substitute ordinance that would "stick" in the courts would be drafted and adopted by Council. Instead of one that is certain to "stick" Council has passed an ordinance that the city attorney has advised that he has grave doubts about because there is already a law on the statute books of the State, covering this very matter, and it naturally takes precedence over a municipal law. The substitute ordinance is more liberal than the one that was repealed but it is not regarded as being as discriminatory. Under this ordinance, which is now in effect, the cigar stores, pool rooms, etc., are allowed to sell cigars and cool drinks the same as drug stores, provided, however, that the pool tables are curtained off and the wire screen doors are kept closed except during actual ingress or egress. The requirement applies to confectioners, but not to drug stores. Whether there will be any more Sunday selling in Wilmington today than usual remains to be seen. However, it appears that there has been no reason for any one to complain on account of inability to get whatever he wanted on Sunday unless he happened to desire strong liquid refreshments, which are decidedly hard to get in Wilmington on a week day, much less Sunday.

The ministers have decided on a course of action, but their plan has not yet been unfolded to the public and is subject to change if a better one is suggested.

Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock the ministers will hold a meeting at St. James' Parish House to discuss the Sunday selling ordinance and further consider the plans for a better observance of the Sabbath in Wilmington. Three prominent lay members of each church have been invited to meet with the ministers and take part in the discussion.

One minister stated last night that they had already decided what course they would pursue in an effort to make Wilmington a model city in the matter of Sunday observance, but that it is possible that some better plan may be presented at the meeting tomorrow, in which event it would be adopted.

The ministers agree thoroughly with City Attorney E. K. Bryan that there is grave doubt of the validity of the city ordinance adopted last week, and it is the present purpose of the ministers to ignore the city ordinance entirely and seek to have the State law enforced to the letter. The State law, if enforced, would practically close up everything on Sunday, it is said. It is quite evident that the ministers are in this fight to win and they believe they will do it.

EARLY ERECTION IS ASSURED.

Wilmington's New Custom House is Ninth on List of Forty-Thee.

Mr. B. F. Keith, collector of customs for the port of Wilmington, has returned from a visit of several days to Washington, D. C., and states that he secured assurances from the government officials that Wilmington would be one of the first cities to have a new public building among the 43 cities for which Congress has appropriated the necessary funds. Mr. Keith was able to impress upon the officials the necessity of beginning as early as possible on its construction, and was promised that Wilmington would be ninth on the list out of the two score of cities.

In order to provide for the erection of such a large number of new public buildings it has been necessary to secure additional architects. These will be assigned to the most urgent cases, and it is a matter of congratulation that Wilmington has been placed so near the top.

Mr. Keith, while in Washington called on Secretary of State Bryan, a special friend of his, and discussed the various political questions of the day. He especially emphasized in his talks with the statesmen at the National capital the importance of making laws that would give the farmer an equal chance with the city man.

PORT RECORDS BROKEN.

Steamer of Greatest Draft Known to River Arrives.

Wilmington's port records were broken yesterday afternoon when the British steamer Queen Elizabeth arrived with cargo of nitrate of soda from the west coast of South America, the vessel having the deepest draft of any ship that ever sailed up the Cape Fear to this city, the draft being 25 feet, three inches. She came on the full flood tide.

The cargo is 6,700 tons of nitrate of soda, for W. R. Grace & Co., and will be discharged at the A. C. L. terminals. The vessel is consigned to Heide & Co. Capt. H. C. Monro is master.

Pony and Buggy Prize

The young folks will be interested in an advertisement elsewhere in today's paper, telling how they may win a pony and a buggy free. The firms of Shrier & Solomon, Solomon's Shoe Store, Gaylord-Platt Co., Jacobi Hardware Co., Elvington's Pharmacy, Hopkins Furniture Co., Baxter Tobacco Co., Warren's, at Front and Market, and the Bellamy Grocery & Produce Co., are going to give the prize. With every purchase or payment on account, tickets are given and the boy or girl who gets the most votes will win the pony. If there is a tie, the two highest will get $150 each, or if the winner wants to sell the prize, $150 will be paid for it.

Mr. Rankin Purchases Interest

Having acquired an interest in the wholesale grain and feed business of Mr. Jos. H. Watters, the well known iebber on the wharf, Mr. Robert G. Rankin, Jr., one of Wilmington's most popular young business men, for several years with the Holmes Grocery Co., on Front street, announces that he will be glad to serve the trade at his new location after July 1st. Friends of Mr. Rankin wish him unbounded success in his new and enlarged business sphere.

Rubber Sole Oxfords
For ladies and gents at Peterson & Rulfs. (Advertisement.) 2t.

CIDER CASE NOL PROSSED

Expected Fight Over "Honey Dew" Cider Did Not Materialize—Recorder Grants Nol Pros at Request of Solicitor.

What had promised to be an interesting legal fight over the question of whether or not "Honey Dew" cider can be sold in the city of Wilmington was suddenly ended yesterday morning in the Recorder's court when County Solicitor Peschau asked that the case against Mr. W. P. Young, charging him with violating the prohibition law be nol prossed with leave. John D. Bellamy & Son represented Mr. Young, who is a traveling salesman for the W. H. Hildick Co., of New York, manufacturers of "Honey Dew" and asked for an immediate trial.

It will be remembered that several weeks ago Mr. W. H. Hildick came to Wilmington and was arrested for violating the prohibition law, but was discharged on the ground that he had made no personal solicitation. He then declared his intention of testing the constitutionality of the act which forbids the sale of ciders containing over 1-10 of one per cent. of alcohol unless it is manufactured from fruit grown on one's own farm. He had Mr. Young, who had personally solicited orders from dealers here, to come to the city and be arrested on a charge of violating the prohibition law. The case was continued until yesterday.

Mr. Bellamy stated yesterday that he had more than 20 witnesses to prove that the beverage in question is non-intoxicating, and that the defendant was ready for trial. The question at issue was one of great concern to the manufacturers as they believed that the law prohibiting the sale of cider was unconstitutional in that it permitted the sale of cider made from fruit grown on one's own farm, but not to others, and was therefore discriminatory which is contrary to the 14th Amendment of the Constitution of the United States. In that a grave constitutional question was involved the defendant was anxious to have the matter settled at once, it was stated.

County Solicitor Peschau asked that the Recorder nol pros the case with leave on the ground that it did not present squarely the question of the right to sell cider in North Carolina under the various prohibitory laws. The defendant in the case, being a traveling salesman for the manufacturer, had solicited orders from local dealers for future delivery from points beyond the State. The expressed purpose of the case being to test the constitutionality of an existing law he did not feel, he said, that it would accomplish the desired end as it was encumbered with needless Federal questions.

He stated that he preferred to have a case where the question was presented squarely which could only be done by having a case involving local sales. As counsel for the defense asked for an immediate trial in the present case and as he had been advised that a case involving local sales would be prepared, Mr. Peschau stated that he had decided to ask for a nol pros with leave.

Inquiries yesterday from those who have control of the enforcement of the law as to whether or not this brand of cider would be continued on the forbidden list of beverages were answered very strongly to the effect that it would. No definite plan of action on the part of the manufacturers has yet been announced, though there was an intimation made yesterday that the manufacturers might have Mr. Young violate the law, and upon arrest have a writ of habeas corpus made before the United States Court, thus bringing the matter before the Federal authorities.

Mr. E. B. Kirk, Southern sales manager of the Walter H. Hildick Company, of New York City, yesterday submitted to The Star the following typewritten statement of the case, which he asked be published:

"Case of State vs. W. P. Young, who is the traveling salesman of W. H. Hildick Company, of New York, for selling the celebrated brand of 'Honey Dew' cider, a pure, sweetened, unadulterated cider, having only the alcohol placed by nature in it and not adulterated or filled with alcohol. Mr. Young was present with his counsel demanding a trial, stating that the defendant was prepared to show by a number of our best citizens present that it was non-intoxicating, and besides, that it was a lawful subject of inter-State commerce, and the act itself if applied to cider was unconstitutional and void, because it was a discrimination in favor of the farmer against all other residents and non-residents not farmers.

"The State solicitor arose and remarked that he did not believe that the State could make out a case against defendant, who was a traveling salesman, and that he would enter a nol pros, and the case was dismissed."

He stated further that his company will continue to sell its goods in Wilmington and this territory as it believes it has a perfect right to do. He emphasized the statement that his company does not feel the least ill-will toward any one in connection with the case, nor do they want to appear boastful of their rights, but as the action that was brought as a test case has been nol prossed with leave and they believe that the sale of their article is legitimate, they will continue to place it on the market, he said.

"We have retained the firm of John D. Bellamy & Son to look after our interests here," said Mr. Kirk. "They will defend for us any merchants selling our goods who are indicted for selling our cider. I don't want to be misunderstood as to this. We will defend any persons who may be indicted for the sale of our goods alone."

"We believe," continued Mr. Kirk, "that we have a legitimate article; we know it is pure, and is made from pure apples. If it is unlawful to sell this pure cider we want to know it. That was our purpose in causing the indictment to be brought against one of our men. We maintain that the cider is pure and that it will stand any analysis. It is non-taxable by the United States government and the brand was patented by the government after analysis had been made."

Bungalows at Greenfield Terrace.

Contracts have recently been awarded by Messrs. R. Oscar Grant and Clarence L. Myers for the erection of attractive bungalows at Greenfield Terrace, near Greenfield Park, in the southern part of the city. Plans for the buildings were drawn by Mr. J. F. Gause, Jr., the architect, who is also preparing plans for a number of other homes to be erected there, among the number being Messrs. P. L. Cantwell, C. K. Davis and Prof. Washington Catlett.

Rubber Sole Oxfords
For ladies and gents at Peterson & Rulfs. (Advertisement.) 2t.

July 1st and 2nd

OUR REGULAR INTEREST QUARTER

July 1st and 2nd, and all deposits made with us on or before these dates will draw 4% interest from July 1st.

Remember, that by depositing here you will receive a full quarter's interest exactly three months from July 1st.

OLD AND STRONG.

The PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK

JULY FIRST

The first half of the present year is rapidly drawing to a close. Have YOU made financial headway during the past six months? We can point to hundreds who have—through our savings route.

Why not open that account NOW? You'll know the real meaning of "Happy New Year" six months hence.

Deposits made with us on or before July 2nd will draw interest from July 1st.

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

Capital $100,000.00
Earned SURPLUS 250,000.00
Resources 2,400,000.00

THE C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

"The Store That's Always Busy"

You Pay Us No More for Our Guaranteed Merchandise and You Get Satisfactory Service Besides

One reason why you should make POLVOGT'S your Store — your place to do your shopping always—you are assured the world's best goods, selected by experts. Our styles and designs reflect the season's choice. These features make POLVOGT'S Wilmington's leading store.

THE BEST MERCHANDISE, MODERATE PRICES, EFFICIENT AND SATISFACTORY SERVICE, SCIENTIFIC STORE ARRANGEMENT, MAKING IT POSSIBLE TO SHOP HERE WITH PLEASURE AND COMFORT.

This Store Closes Daily at 6 P. M. Fridays at 1 O'Clock P. M.
Open till 10 P. M. Saturdays.

Buster Brown Hosiery, for Women and Children.

There is no argument or question about exchange, if this Hosiery is unsatisfactory. Simply say, SEND ME NEW STOCKINGS, if they wear out at heels or toes in four months. A strong guarantee, but we stand by it. The Stockings are Gauze Lisle, or Black, Tan or White.

Children's Black, Tan or White, ... Box of 4 pair $1

Silks Greatly Reduced for Quick Selling

Brocaded Crepe De Chine, 27 inches wide; priced special for, yard 65c
27-inch French Nolly Voiles, flowered designs, priced special at, yard 19c
Bulgarian Crepes, 36 inches wide; priced special at, yard 25c
27-inch Nub Voiles, extra good quality; regular 50c quality; priced special, at yard 35
Colored Crepes, 27 inches wide, in Pink, Light Blue and Black; priced special at, yard 35c
36-inch Black Messaline; extra good quality; regular $1.00 quality; for this week; special price, yard 85c
Stripe Ratine, in Brown and Purple, with white stripe; special price, yard 35c
36-inch White and Colored Voiles; regular 35c quality; special, yard 25c
27-inch Black Waterproof China Silk; regular 75c quality; priced special, at a yard 50c
36-inch Fancy Stripe Wash Silks; regular $1.00 quality; priced special, at a yard 75c

Bathing Suits.

Ladies' Bathing Suits, a Suit ..... $1.50 to $6.50
Misses' Bathing Suits, a Suit ..... $1.00 to $3.50
Men's Bathing Suits, a Suit ..... $1.00 to $3.00
Boys' Bathing Suits, a Suit ..... 50c to $1.50
Bathing Caps, each ..... 25c to $2 00
Bathing Slippers, a pair ..... 25c to 75c

These Items from the Linen Stock are Exceptionally Low Priced.

60-inch Mercerized Table Damask, 65c quality, price, yard 42c
60-inch Mercerized Table Damask, 35c quality, price, yard 25c
72-inch Linen Table Damask; $1.25 quality, price, yard 98c
42x36 Superior Pillow Cases, plain; our regular 15c quality; priced special 10c
45x36 Special Pillow Cases, plain; regular 20c quality; priced special 15c
45x36 Popular Pillow Cases, plain; regular 18c quality; priced special 12c
45x36 Famous Mohawk Pillow Cases; regular 25c quality; priced special 20c
45x36 Hemstitched Pillow Cases; regular 25c quality; priced special 18c
81x90 Mohawk Sheets; regular $1.00 quality; priced special 79c
90x90 Mohawk Sheets; regular $1.10 quality; priced special 89c
81x90 Lenox Sheets; regular 85c quality; priced special 69c
72x90 Sheets; dandy; regular 65c quality; priced special 42c
81x90 Hemstitched Mohawk Sheets, $1.00 quality; priced special 89c
90x90 Hemstitched Mohawk Sheets; regular $1.25 quality; priced special 98c

EVERYTHING AT REDUCED PRICES IN OUR READY TO WEAR SECTION

In our Ready to Wear Section we begin Tomorrow to reduce prices on ALL ready to wear garments. EVERY GARMENT MUST BE SOLD.

TAILORED SUITS
CREPE DE CHINE DRESSES
SILK POPLIN DRESSES
SILK DRESSES
COLORED CHARMEUSE DRESSES
CREPE METEOR DRESSES.

There are some beautiful garments in our stock that can be bought tomorrow at Tremendous Reductions.

THE C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

Wilmington's Shopping Center.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Frank Warlick, of Newton, N. C., is visiting Mrs. Geo. Benson, at Wrightsville Sound.

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Mrs. Thomas Fry, of Florence, S. C., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. L. C. LeGwin, of this city.

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Miss Rosa Willingham, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George L. Peschau, will return today to her home at Marietta, Ga.

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. A. D. Brown, of Wilmington, spent most of the week in New York on a business visit. He stopped at the Grand."

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Miss May McKeithan, who has been making her home with her aunt, Mrs. S. J. McKeithan, of this city, for some time, is visiting her father, Mr. D. E. McKeithan, at Westfarm, Fla.

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Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Miss Louine Watson is in Whiteville, N. C., visiting Miss Annie Memory. She will also visit Miss Hazel Winstead, at Wrightsville, while away."

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Mrs. Trebue Barksdale and little daughter have returned from Camden, S. C., and her many friends will be glad to know that her mother, who has been quite ill, is now convalescent.

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Mrs. W. M. Shaw, No. 422 Ann street, has as her guests her sister, Mrs. W. W. Faison, of Goldsboro, and Mrs. A. C. Dixon, of London, England. Mrs. Dixon is the wife of Dr. A. C. Dixon, the pastor of Spurgeon Tabernacle.

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The steamer Navahoe, of the Clyde Line sailed at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon for New York with the following passenger list: W. E. Brown, W. E. Charles, A. Gruthru, J. A. Pure, F. Miller, L. Paulson, Nilson Karshal, J. Reece, U. D. Marshall, M. Berger, E. C. Holt.

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Mrs. Manning J. Dauer and little son, Manning J., Jr., and her mother, Mrs. Fitts, will return tonight from Lincolnton and other points in the western part of the State, where they have spent the past three weeks. Mr. Dauer will meet them at Monroe and accompany them home.

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There will be special music Sunday morning and evening at the First Baptist church by the splendid chorus choir whose work is so much appreciated. At the morning service, also, Mrs. J. P. Whyte will give a solo, "The Lord is My Light," by Allison; and at the evening service, with Miss Julia Post at the organ, Miss Lydia Post will sing, "Save Me, O God," by Ranbergger.

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Mr. H. McC. Stanford, who was recently elected superintendent of the Swift Fertilizer Works, expects to move his family from Acme to Winter Park about July 7th, having purchased the residence of Mr. H. B. MacMillan. Mr. Stanford formerly lived in Wilmington, being employed at the Swift Fertilizer Works, but for the past two years he has been superintendent of the Acme Manufacturing Company's plant at Acme.

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Miss E. Westbrook entertained a party of friends Friday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Westbrook, at Bradley's Creek. A number of games were played after which a three-course luncheon was served on the lawn under the beautiful trees. Those attending the enjoyable event were Misses Helen Dodson, Kate Lee Merriman, Mariam McClammy, Florence Taylor, Mary Pickett, Layra Parsley, Messrs. Ivan Blue, Carl Taylor, Collier Jacobs, Joel Merriman, Ernest Curtis, V. Hodges, L. Fenley, W. Dodson, Robt. Williams, Tom Bagley, N. Jones, R. Westbrook.

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Little Miss Lucile Maurine Shelby celebrated her 10th birthday yesterday afternoon, by giving a delightful rose party for a few of her young friends. The rose being the flower of her birthday month, the decoration scheme was carried out in blending shades of roses of different kinds. As it was her 10th birthday there were 10 guests. After playing games and having music they went to the Cape Fear Roof Garden for an hour of play. Later refreshments were served. A prize was given to the guest who observed the greatest number of ideas carried out in the table decorations.

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Invitations reading as follows are being issued and will be of great interest to the many friends of the young couple:

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ernest Underwood request the pleasure of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Rossie Bly to Mr. Ernest Cofield Derby on the afternoon of Wednesday the sixteenth of July at half after four o'clock Earnest, North Carolina

Cards enclosed read as follows:

At Home After the twenty-fifth of July, Fairmont, North Carolina.

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Mrs. William P. Toon has gone to Gettysburg, where the reunion of the Blue and Gray will be held this week. Mrs. Toon has gotten up an attractive post card, containing two of her recent compositions, written especially for the reunion of the old soldiers. These cards will be sold by her on the Gettysburg battlefield and a portion of the proceeds will be given to the local Red Cross Society. Mrs. Toon also had cards printed especially for the Elks and Shriners and they were sold very rapidly during these conventions which were recently held at the beach. Mrs. Toon desires to thank the Elks and Shriners in behalf of the local Red Cross Society for their very generous purchases of these cards.

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The 21st annual commencement of the Sacred Heart College at Belmont, presided over by Rt. Rev. Leo Haid, O. S. B., D. D., was of interest to Wilmingtonians as one of the graduates was from this city, Miss Annie Teresa Sheehan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sheehan, Jr. Miss Sheehan and Miss Mary Elizabeth Sweeney, of Raleigh, received the degree of Bachelor of Accounts in the commercial department of the college. Miss Sheehan and Miss Louis Conelin, of Charlotte, each received one of the cardinal gold medals for exemplary conduct. The medals were donated by His Eminence James Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, formerly of Wilmington.

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DELIGHTFUL DANCE AT LAKE WACCAMAW CLUB.

A number of Wilmington's younger social set returned yesterday from Lake Waccamaw where they went Friday to attend the June dance given by the Waccamaw Club at their club house, overlooking the waters of the beautiful Lake Waccamaw. The dance was a big success, and the fortunate guests are loud in their praises of the generous hospitality extended them by the members of the club. Excellent music was furnished for the occasion by the Hollowbush Orchestra, of this city.

The list of the guests who attended is as follows: Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Clark, the Misses Clark and O. L. Clark, Jr., of Clarkton; Mr. W. C. Woodward, of Rocky Mount; Messrs. Field and Dockery, of Rockingham; Prof. Preston Stevenson, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lyon and Messrs. Walter and Farrier Powell, of Whiteville; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Council, Misses Agnes Council, Mary McGwigan and Isabel Johnson and Messrs. K. C. and John M. Council, W. H. McGwigan, Henry Short, Julian Springs and J. T. Caldwell, of Lake Waccamaw; Miss Toon, Whiteville; Misses Ernestine Bridgers, Virgina Taylor, Almeria Stevenson, Lauriston Hardin, and Messrs. Richard Grant, C. U. Hill, J. M. James, W. M. Parsley, David Oliver and K. S. James, of Wilmington. Mrs. F. B. Gault, of Lake Waccamaw, was chaperone.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. H. E. Truelove, who is now making his home in Petersburg, Va., is spending a few days here. He expects to remain here until after July 4th.

—Mr. Z. Vance Croom, formerly an esteemed resident of Wilmington, now with the Atlanta Milling Co., Atlanta, Ga., where he has been located for half a dozen years or more, was here yesterday and was cordially greeted by his frends. He left in the afternoon for Burgaw where he will spend the week-end with relatives.

—Mr. Wm. Sheehan, Jr., will attend the meeting in Raleigh Friday and Saturday of this week of the State Association of City Letter Carriers. He goes as the delegate from this city.

—Arrivals at The Southern yesterday include J. G. Anderson, Burgaw; A. A. Burney, Clarkton; J. C. Turner, Teachey's; S. Jones, Philadelphia; F. H. Hussey, Burgaw; J. M. Woodward, Rocky Mount; M. D. Felton, Council's; Mr. and Mrs. E. Russ, Shallotte; J. C. Joyner, Portsmouth, Va.

LOCAL DOTS.

—It is announced that music will be furnished at Greenfield Park this afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock by the Delgado Band.

—A building permit has been issued for the erection of an addition to St. Stephen's A. M. E. church to be used for a Sunday School room.

—Mr. W. H. Sikes, of Rocky Point, sends along a cotton blossom, plucked yesterday. The season is late, he says, but the staple is now pretty well open.

—Inadvertently it was stated in yesterday's Star in connection with health statistics for Wilmington that there had been 31 cases of fever this year. It should have been 23 cases.

—Lillie Johnson, colored, was arrested yesterday by Constable Davis for an alleged violation of the prohibition law. She was placed in jail and will have a hearing before Justice Harriss tomorrow.

—Louise Clements, colored, was arrested yesterday by Constable Davis on a warrant sworn out before Justice Harriss charging her with the larceny of some clothes. She will have a hearing before Justice Harriss tomorrow.

—Yesterday three of the 10 mules purchased from the Kentucky Horse & Mule Co., by the County Commissioners were delivered, and the remaining seven were expected to be shipped in immediately. The average price paid was $275. The mules are fine animals.

—Fred Davis, colored, was arrested yesterday morning by the police on a warrant charging him with the violation of the prohibition law. The warrant alleges that he sold a suart of liquor on or about the 14th of June for the sum of 80 cents. He is in the city prison awaiting a hearing before the Recorder tomorrow.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Abraham Wright and wife to Alfred Bryant and wife, for $1 and other considerations, 19 1-2 acres of land in Federal Point township, adjoining lands of John H. McNeil and others; Abraham Wright and wife to Ben Ross and wife, for $1 and other considerations, 10 acres in Federal Point township, adjoining lands of Alfred Bryant and others.

Fourth of July Celebrations

Elaborate plans are being made for the Fourth of July celebrations to be held at Wrightsville Beach and Carolina Beach. At Wrightsville Beach there will be boat races, swimming contests and canoe events at Lumina. Following the yearly custom the Lumina Orchestra will give morning, afternoon and evening concerts. It is expected that there will be immense crowds in attendance at the seaside resort on the National holiday. Capt. J. W. Harper is making arrangements for handling the large crowds who will go down to Carolina Beach to spend the day. While no definite programme has been arranged there will be boat races and other aquatic events.

New Bridge is Open.

As already stated in The Star the new bridge across the Northeast river between the counties of New Hanover and Pender, near Castle Haynes, is now open to the public, and is proving a great convenience to truckers, pleasure parties and others who have occasion to come to Wilmington. The bridge was erected jointly by the two counties. Within a short time the approaches to the bridge on the New Hanover side will be completed. Work on the approaches from the Pender county side is also in progress.

Of Interest to Mariners.

The current number of "Notice to Mariners," issued weekly by the Bureau of Lighthouses and the Coast and Geodetic Survey, gives notice that after about July 26th, Diamond Shoal Light Vessel No. 71 will show only the name "Diamond" on each side, the word "Shoal' to be removed from each side and the number "71" from each bow, and that Cape Lookout Shoals Light Vessel No. 80 will show only the name "Lookout" on each side the words "Cape" and "Shoals" and the number to be removed.

At the Beach Today

surf bathing. Concerts morning, afternoon and night at the hotels and Lumina. (Advertisement.)

Wrightsville Beach

Mr. J. Hecht, of Baltimore, is spending a few days at Wrightsville Beach with relatives.

Mr. W. B. Rice, of Rocky Mount, is a week-end visitor at the beach, stopping at the Seaside Inn.

Mr. David Silverman and wife, Miss Lillie Silverman, of Atlanta, are spending some time at Seaside Inn.

Among the week-end guests at the Seaside Inn are W. C. Klugh, Columbia, S. C., and W. B. Mobley, Philadelphia.

Friday's Atlanta Constitution: "Mr. and Mrs. David Crockett and children, and Miss Margaret Mitchell left last night for Wrightsville."

Mr. Benjamin F. White, Jr., is spending his vacation at the beach. He is a brother of Misses Ellie and Carrie White, of Wilmington.

The St. James' Chapel Sunday School, under the supervision of Mrs. A. E. Walker, will give an entertainment at Wave Crest in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loewy, of Philadelphia, arrived yesterday to spend several weeks at Wrightsville Beach with Mr. and Mrs. L. Stein, the parents of Mrs. Loewy.

Mr. Roper and party from The Seashore, went out yesterday in Capt. Wells' launch Virgie May, on a fishing expedition and succeeded in catching over 400.

Mr. Z. Vance Croom, a former resident of Wilmington but now a traveling salesman for the Atlanta Milling Co., is spending a few days at the Seashore Hotel.

The chapel on Father Dennen's lot has been completed, and will give the many Catholics who visit the beach each Summer the opportunity of attending mass without having to come to Wilmington.

Last night the regular week-end dance at Lumina was given and was a very largely attended affair. The hotels and cottages on the beach are pretty well filled now and many of the visitors went to Lumina last night, besides several hundred went down from the city.

The first souvenir dance of the season for children will be given at Lumina Tuesday evening, when the little folks will have exclusive possession of the ball room floor from 8 to 9 o'clock. The Tidewater Power Company has arranged for attractive souvenirs for the little dancers.

Messrs. W. H. Willard, George T. Andrews, R. C. Corzine, S. M. Garry, Tom L. Simmons, O. P. Makepeace, John L. Dobbs and C. E. McGwigan, a party of guests at the Oceanic Hotel, went out yesterday in Capt. Salter's launch Nellie May. They had fine luck bringing in 600 fish and a half dozen shark.

Mr. Henry E. Fries, of Winston-Salem, president of the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway and one of the Twin City's leading citizens, has secured reservations for himself and members of his family at the Seashore Hotel for two weeks, beginning July 1st. The resort is becoming more popular each year with North Carolinians.

Among the guests registered at the Seashore Hotel yesterday were Miss Daisy Sandifer, Charlotte; Elmer H. Phillips, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Abbott, Rocky Mount; Misses Rebecca Adams and Laura Page, Gastonia; Charles O. Bass, Warsaw; Mrs. W. E. Fearington, Winston-Salem; R. L. Adams and W. H. Adams, Gastonia.

Among the arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel yesterday were A. C. L. Hill, Kinston; Gordon M. Turnigan, Charlotte; H. H. Grainger, Kinston; Mrs. Kate Williams, Miss Katie Perry and William Kornegay, Mt. Olive; J. W. Turk, Fayetteville; D. W. Graham, New York City; J. A. Sheet, Newbern; W. E. Miller, Lenoir; Mr. and Mrs. John D. Kiser, Atlanta, Ga.

Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Jolly returned Friday from the sessions of the Jewelers' Association at Wrightsville. They have at their home as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Nattan, of New York, who arrived yesterday. Mr. Nattan is assistant editor of the Jewelers' Circle, the organ of the association, published in New York."

A large number of the Shriners remained over from the semi-annaul meeting which closed Friday night to spend the week-end at the beach. There were several fishing parties yesterday while others took a dip in the surf. There was a delightful breeze blowing which served to make the long verandas of the hotels most comfortable, and many spent the day in reading.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. Armand deRosset Myers will leave the latter part of next week for a two weeks' stay at Wrightsville Beach.——Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Withers and youngest daughter, Miss Bennie, are spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, guests at the Seashore Hotel. Miss Elizabeth Withers will leave Wednesday to join her parents."

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Scibels, of Columbia, S. C., entertained at a party on the steel pier of the Seashore Hotel Friday night. They had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Athens, Ga.; Mr. Arthur B. Williams and Miss Elise Kidder, Thos. D. Meares, Jr., Esq., and Miss Florence Kidder, Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. Meetze, Columbia, S. C.; Mr. Jones, Athens, Ga., and Mrs. Doughty, Atlanta.

Weather permitting, there will be given at Lumina tomorrow night the first fireworks display of the season, arranged by the Tidewater Power Company. The exhibition will begin at 9 o'clock and will consist of 125 pieces. Last year the fireworks always attracted to the resort hundreds of people from the city and the crowd tomorrow night will doubtless surpass the attendance on biggest night last year. The display consists of a large number of pieces and a greater variety than was given last year.

The Sunday concerts at Lumina are attracting good-sized audiences. There is no doubt that there will be large attendance at today's concerts if the weather is favorable. Excellent programmes have been arranged for these concerts by Mr. Kneisel. The feature of the night concert will be a solo by Mr. Gasca. The full programme of the concerts will be found in another column of today's paper. The morning concert begins at 11 A. M., the afternoon concert at 4 P. M. and the night concert at 8:30 P. M.

At the Carolina Yacht Club yesterday from 10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M., was given the first "tango rag party" of the season. It was given by Mrs. Jessie Kenan Wise, who chaperoned the party. Those present and dancing were: Misses Mary Durham and Lida Caldwell, of Charlotte; Kate Northrop, Ruth Bridgers, Meta Rountree, Nora Corbett, Juliet Albright, Miss Baskerville, of New York, and the hostess, Miss Louise Wise, and Messrs. George Wilson, James Carson, John Durham, of Charlotte; George Carmichael, George Clark, William Dodson, of Greensboro; Chas. Baskerville, Jr., of New York; Douglas Taylor and Robert Strange, Jr.

The usual Sunday noon-day concert will be given at the Oceanic Hotel today. The programme that has been arranged, is as follows:

Medley—"I'm Going Back to Carolina" ..... Erdman
A—"Longing"; B—"Meeting," from "Love Suite" ..... Bendix
Valse—"Tout a Vous" ..... Tyers
Melodies from "Il Trovatore" ..... Verdi
Novelette—"Amaranthus" ..... Gilder
Cello Solo—"My Rosary" ..... Nevin
Selection from "The Red Rose" ..... Bowers
March—"Convention City" ..... Allen

Following is the programme of the musical concert to be given at the Seashore Hotel today from 12 to 2 o'clock.

Processional March from Opera Queen of Sheba ..... Carl Goldmark
Premier Amour ..... Andre Benoist
Divertissement Ballet Nos. 1 and 2 ..... L. Delibes
Romanze in E Flat Major ..... Anton Rubenstein
Danse Grotesque, Cossack Revels from Dance Suite ..... Ivan Tschakoff

Intermission

Metropolitan Opera House Echoes ..... Arr. by Tobani
Duett, Horn and Flute—Serenade in F Major ..... J. Titti
"A Perfect Day" ..... Carrie Jacobs-Bond
"I Hear You Calling Me" ..... (Song by John McCormick
Selection from Opera Lady of the Slipper ..... Victor Herbert
Nibelungen March ..... Richard Wagner

The members of the orchestra are as follows: Claude M. Elam, director; Carl Mers, violinist; Herman Baderak, clarinetist; Jesse Alderman, bass violinist; George Cowardin, flutist; Louise Withrow, pianist.

SUMMER COACH SCHOOL

First Class Opened Last Monday With Encouraging Attendance

The Wilmington Summer Coach school, with Mr. C. D. Franck principal, opened its first class last Monday with quite a good enrollment for the first day, and indications point to a very successful Summer session.

Mr. Franck, the principal, who is superintendent of the Richlands graded school, comes to Wilmington highly recommended by foremost educators of the State. He was instructor in mathematics at the Raleigh A. & M. College for four years, and has had ten years' experience in school work. An advertisement in the business local columns of today's Star will be of interest to anyone contemplating joining the school here.

WANTS CHICKEN RETURNED

Phoebe Sterling, Colored, Enters Suit Before Justice Bornemann

Phoebe Sterling entered suit before Justice Bornemann yesterday for the recovery of one yellow chicken with a black spot on back of tail which she alleges Eliza Howe has in her possession. Eliza claims that the chicken does not belong to Phoebe but that she purchased it elsewhere, and therefore refuses to give it up. It seems that the pullet is a special pet of Phoebe's as she was willing to pay the cost of a suit in court in order to get possession of it. Justice Bornemann will decide tomorrow what disposition is to be made of the property in question.

The Recorder's Court

In addition to the "Honey Dew" cider case, an account of which is given in another column, the following cases were disposed of yesterday by the Recorder: H. F. Kidd, white, charged with throwing glass on the streets, judgment suspended upon payment of costs; Milton Nobles, colored, carrying concealed weapons, fined $25 and the costs; Willie Johnson, colored, carrying concealed weapons and assaulting his wife, fined $25 and the costs in each case. Judgment was held open in the Son Mills case until Monday. The evidence in this case was taken Friday.

Come to See the Whale

Mr. T. W. Adickes, assistant curator of the State Museum, arrived in the city last night for the purpose of making investigation in regard to the mammoth whale which is said to have chawled up on the beach of Myrtle Grove Sound the other day, and died. He is anxious to find out first if the whale really did what it is said that it did, and if so what kind of whale it was.

Fireworks at the Beach

tomorrow night, weather conditions permitting. Display consists of 125 pieces. (Advertisement.)

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AUDITORS' REPORT FILED.

Document Will be Considered by the Council in Conference Tomorrow.

Reports of the special auditors who have been engaged for the past two weeks in a thorough and most painstaking audit of the books of the city government, taking in every department, has been filed at the City Hall and will be considered by the Council in conference tomorrow morning, when a number of other matters are also scheduled to come up. As stated in yesterday's Star the report of the auditors was discussed Friday afternoon at a conference of the auditors with Mayor Moore, Counciman Chadwick and Capt. T. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer.

The report is lengthy and gives in detail figures and data from every department. Figures constitute the major portion of the report. The audit was a very thorough one and it is stated that everything was found in good order and everything was accounted for. Several recommendations are made, it is said, chief among which is that the accounting affairs of the city and the collection department be consolidated. The fact that a recommendation of this kind would be made was announced in The Star last week. Some recommendations are also made as to a change of system in the accounting departments, it is stated.

It is stated that the auditors in their informal discussions said it was evident that a first-class bookkeeper would be required in the Water and Sewerage Department and that in the interest of economy and efficiency it would be better to transfer the accounting and collection of rents to the treasury department and provide an additional bookkeeper in this department. While this is not recommended in the report, it is what would have to be done if all this work is thrown into one department.

WAS ON A HOT TRAIL.

George Weston, Colored, Scents Jamaica Ginger and Starts After It.

For some time Ed George, janitor at the Court House, has been missing things, and lately he has been keeping a close look-out. Yesterday he found his helper, George Weston, colored, making a strenuous effort to get through the transom over the door to the office of the clerk of the Recorder's court. What he wanted to get in for is not known, though it is presumed that he wished to sample some of the concoctions that are in the office for safe keeping until certain parties can be tried for alleged violations of the prohibition law. Anyway, a warrant was sworn out charging Weston with larceny and he was placed in jail to await a hearing before Justice Harriss tomorrow. In the meantime the pungent smelling liquids remain safely housed in the Court House.

CAROLINA YACHT RACE.

Mr. Sidney MacMillan Wins First Place—Seven Entries.

Mr. Sydney MacMillan won first place in the yacht race for Class A boats of the Carolina Yacht Club yesterday afternoon. Mr. Williams Peck came second; Mr. Henry MacMillan third, and Mr. R. G. Rankin, Jr., fourth. Messrs. P. W. Davis, J. S. Brown and Burke H. Bridgers entered the race, but were unable to finish on account of having break-downs.

At the beginning of the race there was a fine breeze and the boats started off with prospects of an exciting race, but later the wind died down, and the last half of the race was completed with great difficulty. The boats barely reached the destination within the time limit. This is the second race of the season, as the one two weeks ago had to be abandoned on account of the lack of wind.

Arrested for Abandonment.

Norman Smith, colored, was arrested yesterday by Constable J. H. Davis because of alleged non-support and abandonment of his wife. He was placed in jail and will have a hearing before Justice Harriss tomorrow. Smith works for Mr. J. E. Munn, but according to the warrant sworn out against him he has neglected his wife for the last two years.

Some get a prize in the marriage lottery, some a surprise.

DIED

MOTT—At the James Walker Memorial Hospital, Wilmington, N. C., June 28th, 1913, at 11:45 P. M., MRS. MARY S. MOTT, relict of A. L. Mott, in the 62 nd year of her age.

Fireworks

AT LUMINA TOMORROW NIGHT

(Weather Conditions Permitting)

Exhibition Begins at 9. P. M.

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All styles of Caps and Bathing Shoes and Sandals.

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Porch Screens, 8x8 feet $1.38
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The steel frame collapsible "Baby Protector" is the most convenient and satisfactory device ever devised by human skill for the comfort and protection of babies from flies and mosquitoes. Sold in two sizes.

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET SITUATION

Strength of Near Months the Feature Yesterday—Scattering Demand in the Absence of Prompt Sellers.

New York, June 28.—The feature in the cotton market today was the strength of near months, which resulted from a scattering demand in the absence of prompt sellers. Later deliveries responded very slightly to the advances in July, and the market closed steady at a net gain of 18 points on the near positions by only 2 to 6 points higher on August and the new crop.

The market opened steady at an advance of 3 to 5 points on old crop deliveries, while the new crop was a point lower in sympathy with somewhat disappointing cables and favorable weather reports. General business was very quiet, and the appearance of a few July buying orders in the hands of local spots or Liverpool houses, started some scattered covering of that position. There were very few sellers around the ring, and it required only a few transactions to send prices sharply higher. Most of the buying orders seemed to come from Wall Street sources. Later deliveries were evidently held back by a favorable view of crop conditions and sold only 3 or 4 points above the closing figures of last night.

Reports that the Gulf storm was working inland, causing rain in the Southwest were considered a favorable feature of the day's weather news and the weekly review of a Memphis authority said that the past week had been favorable to the development of the crop.

Spot cotton, quiet, 20 points up. Middling uplands, 12.50; middling gulf, 12.75; sales, none.

Cotton futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	11.39	11.43	11.37	11.43
Feb				11.46
Mar	11.47	11.53	11.46	11.51
May	11.49	11.55	11.49	11.56
June				12.10
July	11.96	12.14	11.92	12.11
Aug	11.98	12.03	11.94	12.02
Sept				11.72
Oct	11.46	11.50	11.43	11.52
Nov				11.44
Dec	11.45	11.49	11.42	11.49

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12.00; net receipts, 504; gross receipts, 504; sales, 576; stock, 45,316; continent, 8,916; coastwise, 831.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12⅝; net receipts, 572; gross receipts, 652; sales, 117; stock, 48,742; continent, 3,332.

Mobile—Nominal, 12.00; net receipts, 75; gross receipts, 75; stock, 4,889.

Savannah—Quiet, 12¾; net receipts, 375; gross receipts, 375; sales, 117; stock, 32,045; continent, 067.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 9; gross receipts, 9; stock, 10,195.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 70; gross receipts, 70; stock, 9,698; coastwise, 300.

Norfolk—Firm, 12⅝; net receipts, 370; gross receipts, 370; sales, 361; stock, 24,963; coastwise, 662.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12¼; stock, 4,848.

New York—Quiet, 12.50; net receipts, 102; gross receipts, 494; stock, 53,414; coastwise, 63.

Boston—Quiet, 12.50; net receipts, 46; gross receipts, 1,267; stock, 9,236; Great Britain, 189.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.75; stock, 1,005; continent, 100.

Texas City—Stock, 4,365.

Brunswick—Stock, 5,737.

Jacksonville—Stock, 501.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 2,123; Great Britain, 189; France, 13,015; stock, 254,904.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 2,123; Great Britain, 189; continent, 13,015.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 9,682,457; Great Britain, 3,436,274; France, 955,532; continent, 3,042,063; Japan, 383,162; Mexico, 13,015.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Dull, 12 3-16; net receipts, 554; gross receipts, 554; shipments, 1,014; stock, 45,793.

Augusta—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 3; gross receipts, 61; shipments, 372; sales, 258; stock, 23,854.

Memphis—Quiet, 12¼; net receipts, 276; gross receipts, 537; shipments, 341; sales, 450; stock, 32,015.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12 5-16; gross receipts, 110; shipments, 110; stock, 21,470.

Cincinnati—Sales, 400; stock, 22,616.

Little Rock—Dull, 12.00; net receipts, 37; gross receipts, 37; shipments, 377; stock, 17,490.

Greenville—Steady, 12.00.

Total today—Net receipts, 870; gross receipts, 1,239; shipments, 2,304; sales, 1,108; stock, 162,747.

CHICAGO GRAIN PIT.

Large Marketings of Old Wheat—Increase in Offers of New.

Chicago, June 28.—Large marketings of old wheat and some increase in offers of new acted today as a drag on prices. The close was easy, ¼@¾c. to ¼@⅝ under last night. Corn finished ⅛@⅜ to ¼@⅝c. down; oats, off ⅛ to ¼@⅜, and provisions ranging from 7½ cents decline to an advance of 2½@5 cents.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2 red, 93@96; No. 3, red, 90@93; No. 1, Northern, 93½@95; No. 2, Northern, 92@94; No. 3, Northern, 91@93½; No. 2, Spring, 92@94; velvet chaff, 91@95; durum, 91@96.

Corn—No. 2, 62¼@62¾; No. 2, white, 62¾@63½; No. 2, yellow, 62½@63.

Oats—No. 2, white, 43; standard, 42½@43.

Closing quotations:

Wheat—July, 90¼@90⅝; September, 90⅝; December, 93½.

Corn—July, 61⅜; September, 63⅛; December, 60⅝.

Oats—July, 41⅝@41¼; September, 42⅜; December, 44.

Pork—July, 20.57½; September, 20.52½.

Lard—July, 11.07½; September, 11.27½; October, 11.32½@11.35.

Ribs — July, 11.65@11.67½; September, 11.72½; October, 11.55.

THE LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, June 28.—Spot cotton, steady, but dull. Middling fair, 7.34; good middling, 7.00; middling, 6.76; low middling, 6.58; good ordinary, 6.14; ordinary, 5.80. Sales, 3,000 bales, including 1,800 American, and 300 for speculation and export. Receipts, 5,000 bales, including 4,800 American.

Futures closed barely steady. June, 6.55½; June-July, 6.46½; July-August, 6.46½; August-September, 6.38½; September-October, 6.27½; October-November, 6.21½; November-December, 6.17½; December-January, 6.17; January-February, 6.17; February-March, 6.18½; March-April, 6.19½; April-May, 6.20½; May-June, 6.21½.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, June 28.—Money on call nominal; no loans. Time loans steady, 60 days 3 1-2 to 3 3-4; 90 days 3 3-4 to 4; six months 3 to 3 1-2. Prime mercantile paper 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8310 for 60 days and at 4.8675 for demand. Commercial bills 4.82 3-4. Bar silver 58 3-8. Mexican dollars 48. Government bonds steady. Railroads bonds steady.

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IN THE WORLD OF FINANCE

Week's Money Market Free From Pressure—Little Enthusiasm Manifested on Buying Side. Speculation.

New York, June 28.—Signs were not lacking through the week of a feeling of reassurance over the nearer financial prospect, while complete confidence over the future is lacking yet. For this reason, the week's market was free from pressure, while no great enthusiasm was manifested on the buying side. Speculation came almost to a halt, after a moderate advance on the first two days of the week.

The near approach of the July settlement period enabled formation of definite conclusions that adequate preparations had been completed to meet the dreaded requirements of this period. The stress of the position centered especially in Berlin, owing to the well known dependence of German enterprises on foreign capital, and the equally well known obstacles in recent months to its use in Germany. With the July engagements met, a period of temporary relaxation of money markets is quite likely to follow. It is this promised relief that the week's stock markets reflected.

Money on call in New York loaned as low as 1 per cent. during the week, but the firm rates for time loans on collateral and the scanty demand for commercial paper, on which 6 per cent. was the ruling rate, showed the real scarcity of available funds.

Trade reaction is suggested as a probable means of relief from money strain, especially in Germany. Such relief from immediate borrowing demands on banks must carry with it diminished profits of enterprise and further impairment of credit. The market shows its sensitiveness to the subject in its quick response to enterprise impressions of the Inter-State Commerce Commission's attitude toward it.

Passage of the new currency bill, in time for the season's needs, is not expected. The seeming assurance of judicial ratification of the Union Pacific plan for dissolution removes a factor that had threatened a heavy burden on the market ever since the original plan failed.

Speculative sentiment was favorably affected by the inference of liberality in the administration's approval of the exchange of Southern Pacific for Baltimore & Ohio stock with the Pennsylvania railroad.

Steel and copper news gave no intimation of the expected revival of demand. Addition to the freight car surplus for the first half of June was large enough to strengthen the belief in decline in traffic. Rains in the corn belt relieved some anxiety, but fears of damage to Spring wheat were manifested.

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Str. Queen Elizabeth, 2,785 tons, Munroe, South America, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 28.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, at 35½ cents per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $3.50 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel; in casks 5c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $2.00 per barrel for hard; $3.00 per berrel for dip, and $3.00 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 43¼; rosin, $3.95; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.25@$4.50 to $4.50.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	26
Rosin	45
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 44 casks; rosin, 164 barrels; tar, 10 barrels; crude turpentine, 18 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot cotton, nominal.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts, 70; same day last year, 21 bales.

Total receipts, since September 1st, 441,201 bales.

Total receipts, same time last year, 508,634 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, June 28.)

CORN—1.65 to 1.72½ per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, 50c to 75c per bu. Sweet potatoes yams, .75 to .90.

PEAS—Dull. White, $2.00@$2.25 to $2.40; cow peas, $1.50 to $1.75 per bu.

BEEF—Native, dressed, 8c.

PORK—9 to 11c.

WOOL—Burry, 11c to 15c. per lb.; free of burs, 15c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 10c. per lb.; dry, 17c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 20 to 21c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 15c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 45@50c.; Spring chickens, 12½@35c. per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 23c.

SHEEP—Old sheep, $1.00 to $2.50 per head. Lambs, $1.00 to $3.00 per head.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Wilmington, N. C., June 27.

Atlantic Coast Line—70 bales cotton.

Str. City of Fayetteville—26 casks spirits of turpentine; 45 barrels rosin.

Total—70 bales cotton; 26 casks spirits turpentine; 45 barrels rosin.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., June 28.

Market—Firm.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock prime hand-picked, 75c.; machine-picked, 70c.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.50; machine-picked, $1.40.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine-picked, 80c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., June 14.—Spanish—Market, firm. Farmers' Spanish, $1.02½ per bu. Receipts, small. No. 1, Shelled Spanish, 9½c. per lb.; No. 2, Shelled Spanish, 7c. per lb.

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 4c. per lb. Fancy Hand-Picked, 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb. Prime, 3¼c. per lb. Machine Picked, 3c. to 3½c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 2½c. to 3c. per lb.

Concerts at Lumina Today
11:30 A. M., 4:00 and 8:30 P. M.
(advertisement.)

STOCKS SUDDENLY REVIVED

Reports Indicating That an Agreement Had Been Reached on Plan for Dissolving Harriman Merger Lifts Prices.

New York, June 28.—Toward the close of a session, which bid fair to be the dullest of the year, the stock market received a sudden stimulus, which sent up prices quickly. News came from Washington that a final agreement had been reached, with President Wilson's approval, on the plan for dissolving the Harriman merger, and that the plan would be presented in court Monday.

Traders took the view that the assent of the courts to the plan was virtually assured. Today's advices regarding the President's attitude seemed to remove the last doubt.

Union Pacific made a vigorous response, rising 4 1-2 points above yesterday's close. The remainder of the list moved upward strongly, with general gains of 1 to 2 points for the active stocks. It was almost entirely a traders' market, and prices fell off to some extent before the close. Prices again showed some improvement in London, but the home market did not follow this lead, and for the first time this week there was no upturn in the opening trading.

Forecasts of the bank statement were wide of the mark. Instead of the predicted heavy cash gain, the banks showed a decrease of more than $1,000,000 in actual holdings. There was a large loan expansion, and the surplus was cut down by $8,500,000. The cash loss and heavy loan increase reflected the new financing of the week—more than $40,000,000 having been paid out here in short term loans put out by various corporations and borrowing in anticipation of the July 1st settlement demands.

Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, $420,000. Panama 3s coupon declined 1-4 on call on the week. Total sales were 136,000 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	65¼
American Agricultural	44
American Beet Sugar	21½
American Can	27
American Can, pfd	86½
American Car and Foundry	42⅝
American Cotton Oil	36½
American Ice Securities	21
American Linseed	8
American Locomotive	29
Amer. Smelting and Ref	62¼
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	99
American Sugar Refining	107
American Tel and Tel	129
American Tobacco	214
Anaconda Mining Co	33½
Atchison	95½
Atchison, pfd	98¼
Atlantic Coast Line	114⅞
Baltimore and Ohio	93⅝
Bethlehem Steel	27
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	57¼
Canadian Pacific	217½
Central Leather	21
Chesapeake and Ohio	55
Chicago Great Western	11½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	103½
Chicago, and North Western	127½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	27
Consolidated Gas	128½
Corn Products	10
Delaware and Hudson	150
Denver and Rio Grande	15¼
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	24
Distillers' Securities	12½
Erie	24⅝
Erie, 1st pfd	36½
Erie, 2nd pfd	29⅜
General Electric	135½
Great Northern, pfd	122⅜
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	33⅜
Illinois Central	110
Interborough-Met	15
Interborough-Met., pfd	55⅜
Inter Harvester	102⅝
Inter Marine, pfd	13½
International Paper	8½
International Pump	6
Kansas City Southern	26
Laclede Gas	91
Lehigh Valley	146⅝
Louisville and Nashville	130¾
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	123¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	21
Missouri Pacific	29¾
National Biscuit	110
National Lead	45
Nat. Rys. of Mexico., 2nd pfd	14
New York Central	97
New York, Ont. and Western	31⅜
Norfolk and Western	103
North American	65¾
Northern Pacific	107⅝
Pacific Mail	18½
Pennsylvania	111
People's Gas	107½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	92
Pittsburg Coal	17½
Pressed Steel Car	22
Pullman Palace Car	156
Reading	158¾
Republic Iron and Steel	18
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	75
Rock Island Co	15⅝
Rock Island Co., pfd	25⅝
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	5½
Seaboard Air Line	18½
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	42¾
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	24
Southern Pacific	95⅞
Southern Railway	21
Southern Railway, pfd	71½
Tennessee Copper	29
Texas and Pacific	13½
Union Pacific	148⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	81½
United States Realty	61
United States Rubber	50
United States Steel	53¼
United States Steel, pfd	103½
Utah Copper	42¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	23½
Wabash	2¼
Wabash, pfd	6¾
Western Maryland	34½
Western Union	60¼
Westinghouse Electric	59
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4½

COTTON REVIEW

The Week-end Session in the New Orleans Market

New Orleans, June 28.—The week-end session in the cotton market was quiet but the tone held steady. Fairly good rains were noted in Texas, and the promise seemed to be for an increase in the rainfall over the entire belt for Sunday. The most that bearish influences did was to encourage liquidation of long cotton.

The opening was steady, two points up to four points down, compared with the last prices of yesterday. On the poor cables and the improvement in weather conditions over the cotton region, the market went three to six points under yesterday's close. This was the lowest of the day. Reports from Arkansas that the drouth in that State was becoming serious, the detailed weather reports showing less rain in the belt as a whole, than expected and accounts of the increase of the boll weevil, particularly in the Mississippi Delta, checked offerings and stimulated a moderate volume of buying, which put prices one to four points over yesterday's final figures. The market closed steady, unchanged to two points up, net.

Spot cotton quiet, unchanged.

Galveston, Tex., June 28.—Exports of breadstuffs for European ports for the week ending today were: Wheat 18,000 bushels.

Rubber Sole Oxfords
For ladies and gents at Peterson & Rulfs. (Advertisement.) 2t.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

June 29, 1913.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 76 degrees; at 8 P. M., 81 degrees; maximum, 92 degrees; minimum, 70 degrees; mean, 81 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, 4.14.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 9.2 feet.

Weathern Prediction.

For North Carolina—Local thunder showers Sunday; Monday, probably fair.

The Port Calendar—June 29.

Sun rises	5:03 A. M.
Sun sets	7:27 P. M.
Day's length	14 hours, 17 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	5:52	6:29	1:00	1:59
Southport	3:08	3:55	8:45	10:31
Masonboro Inlet	2:57	3:44	9:05	10:11

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.
June 28, 1913.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Temperature: Lowest last night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	cloudy	90	70	.24
Asheville	pt cldy	88	66	.02
Atlanta	cloudy	96	72	.0
Augusta	cloudy	96	72	.02
Birmingham	cloudy	98	74	.32
Boston	clear	88	70	.0
Charleston	pt cldy	88	72	.0
Charlotte	clear	94	70	.02
Chicago	clear	88	82	.0
Galveston	cloudy	84	78	.10
Jacksonville	clear	88	74	.18
Memphis	raining	94	78	.0
Mobile	cloudy	90	74	.0
Montgomery	cloudy	96	74	.02
New Orleans	cloudy	90	74	.01
New York	clear	84	74	.04
Oklahoma	cloudy	86	72	.0
Palestine	raining	88	72	.50
Pittsburg	clear	88	74	.0
Raleigh	raining	96	70	.0
Savannah	pt cldy	92	70	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	88	74	.22
St. Louis	clear	98	82	.0
Washington	pt cldy	90	78	.0

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, June 28.—Flour—Quiet.
Peanuts—Unchanged.
Freights—Unchanged.
Cabbages—Unchanged.
Potatoes—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—The market was active and strong with further covering as well as new buying on light supplies and new strength in the spot positions, closing at 3 to 22 points net higher. Prime crude, nominal; do. Summer yellow, spot, 8.40; July, 8.44; August, 8.37; September, 8.38; October, 7.76; November, 6.82; December, January and February, 6.50; prime Winter yellow and Summer white, 8.50 bid.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET

New York, June 28.—All divisions of the cotton goods market were quiet during the day, which was to be expected owing to the half holiday and the season of the year. There was a fair inquiry for gray goods for prompt shipment but the goods asked for were not in stock. The hosiery and underwear markets were fairly active. Slight advances were made on some of the low grades of hosiery. Linens were quiet but very firm. Spot lightweight burlap was in good demand and prices advanced.

MEN FROM FORT CASWELL.

Will be Detailed at Guilford Battleground July Fourth.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—Congressman Chas. M. Stedman has secured the consent of the War Department to detail 100 men from Fort Caswell to take a battery of artillery and participate in the exercises on the Fourth of July at the Guilford Battleground. Major General Wood, chief of staff, stated that he was acceding to the Congressman's request on account of the very high esteem in which he held Major Stedman.

THE NAVAL STORES MARKET

Savannah, Ga., June 28.—Turpentine firm 36 1-2; sales 628; receipts 1,138; shipments 20; stocks 25,850.

Rosins, firm; sales 453; receipts 2,227; shipments 578; stocks 124,853. Quote: AB 3.60; CD 3.90; EFGH 4.00; I 4.15; K 4.55; M 5.15; N 5.85; WG 6.25; WW 6.30.

GEN. CARR IN RUNAWAY.

Thrown From Buggy Unhurt But Driver Breaks Collar Bone.

Waynesville, N. C., June 28.—Yesterday evening Lee G. Davis was driving Gen. Julian S. Carr from the Methodist Assembly grounds to town when in the new suburb of North Waynesville the horse took fright at an automobile and ran away, throwing both men out. Gen. Carr escaped unhurt but Davis sustained a fracture of the collar bone.

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Are you one of the poor unfortunates, who have made a bad beginning and ultimate failure in life? Are you weak, irritable, unnerved, despondent? Is your weakened system crying out for help? If so what are you going to do about it? Are you standing idly and allowing your possibilities to slip away from you, when by the proper advice you could achieve success and happiness.

Do you often wonder why some people seem able to always make a favorable impression while you cannot? The solution is easily explained, being due to that silent and unseen power, which we know under the name of "Personal Magnetism." Many people possess it without recognizing it as such. All persons have the fundamentals which may be nurtured and cultivated and caused to blossom into fullest fruition. You have this divinely planted ability. If it is lying dormant I will teach you how to stimulate it until you too, as well as those persons whose possession of it you now envy can, through the wonderful power of personal magnetism, attract others, who in turn, will find pleasure in conferring upon you their confidence, good will and patronage.

Life is not so much of a mystery as some people would have you believe. If you had studied more into Nature's laws and learned the lessons there revealed you would know better why some people succeed and others fail. There is a good reason. Come in and let me explain that reason to you.

Are you entirely satisfied with life? Are you satisfied with your condition? Are you up to the standard? If not, I want to talk to you, I can and will help you.

I am besieged every day with men and women in all walks of life seeking advice on matters such as love, courtship, marriage, divorce, sickness, law, speculation, wills, patents, deeds, and mortgages, hidden treasures, absent friends and relatives. I have helped thousands, why not you?

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Deep Sea Poles, 15 to 20 ounce, $2.50 to $10.00. Reels, 200 and 300 yards. "Free Spool," $8.00 to $15.00. Reels, Deep Sea, without Free Spool feature, $2.00 to $6.00.

Hooks, Snells, Squids, everything to contribute to your pleasure in this line, to the salt, as well as the fresh water fisherman.

Don't forget to call for Willie. It's a joy for him to show, whether you buy or not!

N. Jacobi Hardware Co.

Willie's last "Drum" Fish caught weighed 43 pounds!

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Hart Schaffner & Marx

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MAXWELL REPLIES TO PRESIDENT TATE

(Continued from page One.)

correct me. If I am right do they not point unerringly to the logical remedy for our troubles?

"The port is already there, but so far its effect upon our general rate basis it had as well not be there. There is not a line of railroad to it that is not in the nature of a branch road, when the lines of the Coast Line and Seaboard leading to it should be the main steam of their systems, and taxed to carry the commerce of the State over them.

"It is true, Mr. Tate, whether you realize it or not, that from one end of this country to the other you will find low freight rates where water competion is felt, and high freight rates removed from this influence. We live in a section of the country where one-sixth of its area possess one-half of its miles of navigable streams, and we permit to go unused the natural resource that compels low rates in other States—unused while we cry desperately for a remedy for the high rates. There was just as much power in the falls of the Pee Dee to turn the wheels of industry when its banks were the hunting grounds of the Indians as there is today, but no one felt its unused power. Our water resources don't require any development to drive down our freight rates except the boats to plough its waters. It will take something more than the edict of one man to convict me of disloyalty to the State in calling attention to this great unused resource in the very hour when the whole State is appealing for a remedy for the condition in which the neglect of this resource finds us.

"Mr. Tate thinks it an answer to my proposition that the railroads themselves have made no move to develop this port. I hope we will not have to wait for a rate adjustment until they do. There is nothing else a railroad dreads quite as much as a boat with water to run it in, for they know that it can haul a ton of freight 10 miles at the same cost that they haul it one mile. Put on the boat lines and force the railroads to tear down this high wall of rates on inter-State freight and all their lines in the State leading to Wilmington, and then, perhaps, they may help you to develop it as a port of entry. It's an asset that belongs to the State, and through which we can convert our inter-State freight into intra-State freight, and put the matter within the power of the State to control, and it's the only way under the sun by which it can be done. The State has spent millions in building railroad lines, and they have contributed more than we can calculate to the wealth and development of the State. The State is interested now in helping to construct no less than half a dozen local railroad lines. But if the State owned and operated every mile of railroad in the State up to the State lines it would still be powerless to control inter-State freight rates, while it is relatively a simple matter to put on boat lines to put this freight within the jurisdiction of the State, and as the most expert freght traffic man in the State whose interests is adverse to the railroads suggested in a private letter the other day, if for any reason the project should be abandoned at any time the vessels could be realized on at almost any time with the increasing world-wide demand for shipping. It is not like an investment in an unprofitable railroad line.

"Mr. Tate complains that I 'take a position against the Legislature meeting in special session.' Again, Mr. Tate, I would be glad if you would take the time to at least read my speech, and if you do you will find that I took it as a settled matter that we would have a special session, and I undertook to suggest something practical that the special session could do. You will find that I suggested that the legislature be asked 'when it meets in special session' to subscribe for half a million dollar of stock in this boat line.

"Mr. Tate complains that I have taken a position against 'the declared policy of the State' as to the long and short haul principle. That's a joke, Mr. Tate. The author of the resolution declaring the principle deserted it himself at the very first meeting with the railroad people, and he went back to the Legislature and asked for authority to treat with the railroads on some other basis, and they gave it to him, and the 'ultimatum' which the legislative commission finally put up to the railroads was itself a violation of the principle all the way through.

"Mr. Tate tries to put me in the attitude of antagonizing Governor Craig and the Just Freight Rate Association, which is not correct. I think Governor Craig understands that he has had the loyal co-operation of every one connected with the department of the Corporation Commission in his fight, and there can be no disloyalty to him or his cause nor to the Just Freight Rate Association in pointing a way by which the power of the State may be extended from beyond its borders to control this matter, nor in saying that the other propositions discussed in my address will not have the effect of reducing inter-State rates—a fact of which he is doubtless fully conscious himself. Instead of its being antagonistic to the Just Freight Rate Association it was distinctly made as a suggestion to that association—anticipating that they are the very people who should take charge of it and put it through, and so far from intending to antagonize this association my speech in Wilmington was made at the meeting at which their branch of the association was organized, and merely to keep history straight I may state the fact that the Wilmington people at that meeting were hesitating to go into Mr. Tate's association until I advised them at this meeting to do so, and Mr. Tate's organizer, Mr. Ramseur, told me he would have failed to get an organization in Wilmington if I had not been there to help him out.

"I have offered a definite, tangible programme that I claim will give us the relief we are seeking. Wherein is it defective? And what is your plan that you say I have broken into? Do you want to make them abolish all grade crossings? The Wilmington harbor will have run dry before you do, but if you could, would that correct your inter-State freight rates?

"Would you reduce intra-State freight rates? Suppose you do, will that decrease your inter-State rates one penny? What will it avail us as to inter-State freight to have lower intra-State rates if you can't get the freight into the State without first paying the high inter-State rate? Don't lose sight of the fact that lower inter-State rates is the thing we started out to get.

"I, too, suggested—very plainly suggested—a lowering of intra-State rates, but I suggested that it be done in connection with a plan that would put the inter-State freight within reach of the reduced intra-State rates, and in connection with a plan that would give increased freight tonnage on the lines to which the reduced rates were made to apply. Which is the best plan, Mr. Tate, and why?

PRACTICAL AID GIVEN.

Haw a Real Daughter of the Confederacy Honored a Vet.

"Town Talk" in the Sampson Democrat:)

We heard of a little incident the other day that was not destined to reach the paper. That is, it was not done that all men everywhere might read of it and say of our heroine, "She's the right kind." Some folks, you know, when they go to do a deed of charity they must get out their horn, call up the dogs, and have a royal chase after suffering and poverty. They must have a brass band, a squad of reporters, and other accutrements before they can act the Samaritan. But our heroine, of whose deeds we will get to directly, is a different sort of Samaritan. She is not what the Indian would call "much big talk," but has a wholesome respect for her conscience.

One afternoon, two or three weeks ago, she passed the station an hour or so before the train was to leave. Her eye was directed toward an old man, aged and stooped over, who, with an expectant look awaited the arrival of the train. Seeing in his face an appealing air of loneliness she was moved to stop and speak to him.

He told her his story, as old men who yearn for human sympathy will, especially men who have no longer their comrade to listen to their trouble with a willing ear. He was a Confederate soldier. One who rejoiced with Lee in his Virginia campaigns; one who tramped back to Old North Carolina after it was all over, broken in health and in spirit. He and the "old woman" had made the best of it. All these years since Appomattox they have tended their "crap" paid ther taxes, and feared God. Now the "old woman" has been dead these five years. Life has no longer much for him. His children have cares of their own. He doesn't want to be in the way. He has heard that up in Raleigh there is a place to which he will be welcomed, where he can sit in a corner and live his life away with dreams of the past.

The listener was not content with lending a sympathetic ear to this tale. She was a true Daughter of the Confederacy, not the politicking kind altogether. She saw that the old man was not dressed befitting his rank as a veteran of Appomattox. In her eyes he was her hero, her defender; in a way the representative of the Southern ideal. He must not go to Raleigh wearing a coat that has done service for these many years. So with much reluctance, for his pride was not wholly overcome by his warm hearted appreciation, he let her go to a nearby store and buy for him a suit and a hat and other apparel that would be a comfort and pride to him in the year or two or more than is allotted to him to live. After she had gone her way, carrying the blessing of an old man, who made no effort to hide his tears, an onlooker could see a transformation in the man. His shoulders were not so stooped, for her was her knight, her defender. And, too, he felt no longer that shame-faced disgrace over his attire. He went to the old soldiers' home a man amongst men, not as a mendicant seeking the bounty of the State.

WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW

Results of the Week's Trading on the New Orleans Exchange

New Orleans, June 28.—The net results of the week's trading in the cotton market were an advance of two to 14 points on the most active months. The high prices were made on Wednesday and the low prices on Monday. At the highest the trading months were nine to 21 points over last week's close; at the lowest they were seven to 12 points under. The range was 20 to 28 points.

The market had a steady undertone throughout the week, chiefly because of reports of drouthy conditions in several important parts of the belt, particularly Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi. Georgia and Alabama also sent in complaints of lack of moisture. Bullish sentiment appeared to be on the increase in claim that the crop was not doing as well as it should The pending bureau reports on conditions and acreage had little effect one way or the other. The strength of the July position and the ready taking up of tenders in both of the American markets served to stimulate buying to some extent and to prevent short selling. At times shorts were nervous over reports that English traders were heavy buyers of the new crop months in the markets on this side of the water.

In the spot department prices advanced 1-16 of a cent, middling closing at 12 5-8, against 12 9-16 last week and 12 1-4 this week last year. Sales on the spot amounted to 710 bales, against 749 last week and 659 this week last year; sales to arrive amounted to 1,322 bales, against 1,558 last week and 1,003 this week last year.

COTTON GOODS REVIEW.

Pending Tariff Measures Exert Influence—Prices Very Steady.

New York, June 28.—While there has been no incident to stimulate cotton goods trading in any speculative way the volume of current business from jobbers is sufficiently large to keep stocks cleaned up and prices are very steady. The demand for goods for export to China has held up and the movement could be enlarged considerably if mills were disposed to make price concessions in accordance with some substantial bids recently received. A curtailment of production is going on due to the unwillingness of manufacturers to make goods except on order, pending tariff adjustment.

Fall River sold 140,000 pieces of print cloths during the week, of which 40,000 were for spot shipment.

Prints are steady. Ginghams remain quiet. Denims and tickings are firm. Fine fancy cottons continue in moderate request. The advance business being gathered on staple hosiery and underwear for Spring is of good volume and some of the low and staple hosiery lines have been advanced.

The striking feature of the whole situation is the limited stocks carried in first and second hands. This leads to sustained firmness on the part of the mill agents. Prices range about as follows:

Print cloths 64x64s 3 3-4c; 64x60s 3 1-2c; 38 1-2-inch 64x64s 5 1-16c, and 5 1-8c; Southern sheetings standards 7 3-4c; denims 9-ounce 14c; tickings 8-ounce 13 1-4c; standard prints 5 1-2c, staple ginghams 6 3-4c; dress ginghams 9 1-4c.

—Maj. H. W. Stickle has returned from Atlantic, a small town near Core Sound, where he went to discuss with the people certain proposed improvements by the government for making Thoroughfare Bay navigable. The people were very enthusiastic over the project, and it is hoped to push the improvements to an early completion.

"You are conducting a campaign of education on this question. Let's get down to facts and give the people some definite information on the subject. Questions of bad faith will not win the fight."

Hearing Yesterday.

In response to an order served on them a few days ago through the Clerk of Superior Court of Lee county by Sheriff Cowan, officers of George Washington Council, No. 67, Jr. O. U. A. M., appeared in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court yesterday morning and exhibted to counsel for the plaintiff in an action entitled Mrs. Ida Holmes against the National Council, Junior Order, all their books, records, etc., relating to a certain policy of insurance issued to the late Rev. K. D. Holmes. The information was sought by the plaintiff to be used in a suit that has been brought in Lee county for the collection of $500 insurance carried by Mr. Holmes in the order. Payment of the amount was refused by the National Council on the ground that the insured was not in good standing at the time of his death, having neglected to pay dues for a considerable period.

Shur-On eye glasses easy to take off. Hard to shake off. Sold by Dr. Vineberg, the Eye Specialist, Masonic Temple. Eyes tested free.
(Advertisement.)

Concerts at Lumina Today
11:30 A. M., 4:00 and 8:30 P. M.
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Business Locals

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly Messenger Service; calls will be made, or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams; bills rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union." But for advertisements, always call the Star Office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

WANTED—Two young ladies to solicit for national newspaper. Good salary. Apply 9 to 10 A. M., Monday. Mr. Rosenberger, Colonial Inn. je29-1t*

BACHELOR APARTMENT — Well furnished in Cape Fear Apartments, for July and August. Apply Apartment No. 9. je29-1t

FOR SALE—Two-story store house, 25x60, and lot, at Currie, N. C. Good location for general store. Terms reasonable. Geo. F. Lucas, Box 3, Wilmington, N. C. je29-1t*

STORE BUILDING on Market street, near Front, for sale on very liberal terms. This property will net the purchaser a handsome profit within the next year or two. See James and James, 'phone 163, Orton Hotel Building. je29-1t

LOST—A gold filled case, 20-year guaranteed watch. Case number 5908931. Elgin movement. Reward, if returned to 1015 North Fifth street. je29-1t*

LOST—Chain off auto, truck. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Hopkins Furniture Co. je29-1t*

WANTED—Two young men to solicit for national newspaper. Good salary. Apply 9 to 10 Monday morning. Mr. Rosenberger, Colonial Inn. je29-1t*

BUILDING LOT in good renting locality for $300. James & James, Orton Hotel Bldg., 'Phone 163. je29-1t

FRONT ROOM for rent. Nice, large and cool. Apply No. 220 North Fourth street, near Grace. je29-1t

MARKET STREET lot, Carolina Place, for $1,300.00. An opportunity to make some money. See James & James, Insurance and Real Estate; 'Phone 163, Orton Hotel Bldg. je29-1t

FOR RENT—The two new seven-room, modern houses, 921 and 923 North Fifth street. Rent low. Possession first. Apply at 110 So. Fifth street; 'Phone 650. je29-1t*

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH lot, well located, can be bought for $650.00. 'Phone James & James, 163. je29-1t

SPECIALISTS in the manufacture of concrete blocks, brick, sewer pipe and drain tile. Stock on hand. Construction work also. 'Phone 1162-J. The Herring-Short Concrete Co., Front and Harnett streets. je29-1t

HAVING ACQUIRED an interest in the wholesale grain and feed business of Mr. J. H. Watters, on and after July 1st, will be glad to serve the trade there. Robert G. Rankin, Jr. je29-1t

FOR RENT—Rooms, neatly furnished; all modern conveniences; terms reasonable. 119 Orange street; 'Phone 1767-J. je29-1t*

$3,000.00 BUYS an attractive cottage on Princess street, near Ninth. Can arrange loan. See James & James, Insurance and Real Estate; 'Phone 163. je29-1t

WE HAVE FOR RENT a Summer home on Greenville Sound; fruit, plenty of ground and fishing privileges. Home splendidly furnished. See M. C. Darby & Co. je29-1t

FOR RENT—A choice furnished room with or without board. Electric lights and all modern conveniences, at 316 Red Cross street. je29-1t.

SEASIDE INN—Rooms and board $10 to $15 per week, according to room. Rooms with conecting baths. Coolest place on beach. L. W. Warrock, proprietor. je29-1t.

ROOM AND BOARD—One large, nicely furnished room, near bath, with board, suitable for two gentlemen. Third street, between Walnut and Red Cross. 'Phone 265. je29-1t*

TWO APARTMENTS for rent for the Summer. One furnished and one unfurnished; both cheap. F. A. Lord, Insurance and Real Estate. 'Phone 766. je29-1t

A NICE six-room house, kitchen and bath, for rent. Good location. F. A. Lord, Insurance and Real Estate, 120 Princess street. je29-1t

CAPABLE SALESMAN to cover North Carolina with staple line. High commissions, with $100.00 monthly advance. Permanent position to right man. Jess H. Smith Co., Detroit, Mich. je29-1t*

SALESMAN, Traveling; salary and expenses, or commission; must be active, ambitious, energetic; splendid opportunity; former experience not essential. Landmark Cigar Co., Denver, Pa. je29-1t*

YOUNG MAN—Be a barber. I teach you quickly, cheaply, thoroughly and furnish tools. I give you actual shop work and you keep half the receipts. Write me for catalogue. A. B. Moler, Pres. Moler Barber College, Atlanta, Ga. je29-su3t*

WILL PAY reliable man or woman $12.50 to distribute 100 free pkgs Perfumed Borax soap powder among friends. No money required. Ward Borax Co., 216 Institute, Chicago. je29-1t*

WANTED—Whip salesmen. Liberal commission. We manufacture a superior line, a trade getter. Send references with application. Empire State Whip Co., Windsor, N. Y. je29-1t*

ATTENTION — The Wilmington Coach School comes to you endorsed by Messrs. J. J. Blair, W. B. Cooper, S. E. Koonce, E. L. Prince, H. E. Bonitz, of your city, and Hon. Walter Clark, Raleigh, N. C., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The coach school began its first term June 23rd, in the large, cool classrooms of the Wilmington Business College, on the Second floor, over Peterson & Ruifs. This school, especially appeals to all pupils of all grades in the city schools who, by reason of sickness, etc., failed to pass up to the next grade free of all conditions. The night school appeals to those who work during the day and are ambitious to get an education. This school has on sale a limited number of one month three dollar scholarships, which guarantees the purchaser one month's instruction in this school to be taken when most convenient to the purchaser. Quite a number of August and September scholarships have already been sold. Don't put off buying your scholarship, as we can accommodate only a limited number. The morning session begins every day at 8:30 and continues until 12:30. Call to see us, all who wish to enter now, and also all who wish to buy a bargain scholarship. Tuition, $4.00 per month.—C. D. Franck. je29-1t*

GASOLENE BOAT—18 feet long, 5 foot beam; 3 H. P.; speed, seven miles per hour, make and break spark. Just been overhauled; in good running order. Will sell cheap to quick buyer. Apply at 215 Market street. S. C. Winner. je29-1t*

WANTED—The public to know we are fortunate to secure a first class shop mechanic, and are prepared to do any kind of sheet metal work. The public will do well to give us a trial. Wilmington Slate and Metal Roofing Co., W. B. Klander, Manager, 14 South Second street. je29-1t*

JUNIPER FENCE POSTS—Solid carload received last week; 7, 8 and 16 feet. Reasonable prices. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. je29-1t

FOR RENT—Suite four rooms and bath; electric lights, 'phone; first floor. No. 326 South Fourth street. 'Phone 558-W. je29-1t*

ON THE WAY from Alabama: Carload 1½ long leaf flooring. Large amount already sold. Give us your order Monday. Prices, $25.00 and up. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. je29-1t

FOR RENT—Wrightsville Beach cottage, excellent location, between Seashore Hotel and Carolina Yacht Club, for rent for the months of August and September. Apply to Walter P. Sprunt. je29-1t*

NICELY FURNISHED front room, with board, suitable for two gentlemen. Good location, convenient to A. C. L. offices. 'Phone 1084, or apply 512 N. Third. je29-1t*

TO RENT—An airy room; steel screens, hot and cold water. Bath. Use of 'phone, and electric lights. Also mosquito net. 209 South Second. je29-1t*

LADIES—Send me $1 and your combings by mail, and I will make them into switches, psyches, or any other hair goods. Mme. Gates, Norfolk, Va. je29-4t*

EVERYTHING in lumber. Seasoned framing, long leaf square edged siding, cypress beveled and German siding, cypress and pine interior finish; lath and shingles, too. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. je29-1t

GO TO THE DuBois Laboratory when in need of a chemist. Analysis of any description. Prompt report; prices reasonable. 308 N. Ninth street, Wilmington, N. C. je29-6t*

NICE FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, with or without meals. Apply No. 119 Chestnut street. je29-1t*

CLEANLINESS being next to Godliness, on Sundays attend Church services and on Mondays let us attend to your "linen." 'Phone 29. Wilmington Steam Laundry, "The Good One." je29-3t

IF YOU ARE SICK, consult a Physician; if it is Laundry work in all its various phases, consult us. 'Phone 29. Wilmington Steam Laundry, "Oldest, Largest, Best." je29-3t

PLEASANT DREAMS, when you sleep upon a bed dressed with clean, sweet linen, washed by a Sanitary Laundry. 'Phone 29. Wilmington Steam Laundry. "This is the one." je29-3t

DESIRABLE HOMES for Rent. No 911 Princess street, 9 rooms, all improvements, $27.50; No. 410 North Fifth street, 7 rooms, $20.00. No. 108 South Fourth street, partly furnished, $40.00, till Oct. 1st. No. 516 South Sixth street, 6 rooms, $21.00, and others. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. je29-2t

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished bed rooms, with or without board; best residential section. Call 'phone 1788-J. je29-1t*

TILE SETTERS wanted; two first class tile setters on fire places and bath room tile. Apply to J. F. McVey, 214 Nun street. je29-1t*

FOR RENT—Furnished room in private family; all conveniences. 'Phone 1338-W, or call at 120 Red Cross street. je29-1t*

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FOR RENT — Three nicely furnished rooms, with bath, for light housekeeping. Apply 311 South Fifth street, or 'phone 1240-J. je29-1t*

FOR RENT—Furnished room with Southern exposure. Three windows, electric lights, mosquito net and bath; exclusively for men. Terms, reasonable. 'Phone 783. je29-1t

FOR RENT—Furnished, one large front room, suitable for couple without children or two gentlemen. All conveniences; within half block of postoffice; next door to two good boarding houses. Call 'phone 1981, or call at 216 Chestnut street, between 12 and 2 o'clock Sunday or Monday. je29-1t*

WANTED—Men in city and nearby towns to solicit health and accident insurance. Men with experience preferred. Address Box 211, City. je29-1t

WANTED—A position as locomotive engineer in log woods; 8 years experience. Can operate any kind of skidder. Address "B. D. J., care Star. je29-2t*

FOR SALE or rent, for storage purposes, house with two large rooms, 408 N. Sixth street. Mrs. Thos. C. Lewis. je29-1t*

WANTED — Cottage on Wrightsville Beach during month of August. "Party," care Star. je29-1t*

SALESMAN for general mercantile trade in North Carolina, to sell a new proposition of merit. Vacancy July 1st. Attractive commission contract. $35.00 weekly for expenses. Miles F. Bixler Co., Wholesale Jewelers, 19826 Carlin Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio. je29-1t*

FLAGS AND BUNTING. Wagon umbrellas. D. Newman & Son., 12 Market street. je29-1t*

FOR RENT—Housekeeping apartment, first floor; Southern exposure; five rooms and bath. Janitor service and range furnished. See M. C. Darby & Co. je29-1t

WANTED—Sales lady in a dry goods store. References required. Apply to 719 North Fourth street. je29-1t*

FOR SALE—50 acres land within corporate limits Sanford, N. C. A five room cottage; one-half in cultivation; well suited for city development, trucking, berry growing or any kind of farming. Cash or terms. Address "W. A. M.," Box 392, Sanford, N. C. je29-1t*

HOME COMFORTS—Two gentlemen can secure room and board with all necessary comforts. Address "H. C.," care Star. je29-2t

ROSES—Our roses are in full bloom. Come and label them for Fall delivery. Cordially invited to visit our place. The Holland Nurseries, Castle Hayne, N. C. je29-3t*

WANTED — Salesman thoroughly acquainted in North and South Carolina, to sell popular priced line of neckwear on commission basis to old established trade. Must be well known and able to show that he can bring results. Address, with commercial references, Kaiser & Co., 343 Broadway, New York City. je29-1t*

FOR SALE—One family horse, safe and sound. Apply to Eduard Ahrens, care Ahrens Bros. my18-tf

WANTED—Combination peanut and pop corn roaster. Must be in good condition. Box 72, City. je28-2t

WANTED—Hotel or large kitchen range. Must be in A-1 condition. Address "1873-J," care Star. je28-2t

EXTRA CHOICE peaches and cantaloupes. Nice dressed chickens, country eggs, 25c. Choice beef, veal, lamb and pork. N. C. hams; all kinds of vegetables, fresh in. Sliced bacon, raw and boiled ham. Chipped beef. See us today. Palace Market, 108 South Front street; 'phone 72. je28-1f

WANTED AT ONCE — Clerical position by young man with some knowledge of stenography. Can furnish good references. Address Box 487, City. je28-2t*

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—An experienced stenographer for wholesale mercantile house. Address "Stenographer," care Star. je28-2t

FOR SALE—Small sail boat, similar to Class A boats. Good condition. Will sell cheap. H. Bluethenthal, P. O. Box 801. je27-6t*

FOR SALE—Maxwell touring car, five-passenger, in good condition. Just overhauled. Big bargain for quick sale. Apply to J. H. Dreher. je15-tf

MEN AND WOMEN wanted for U. S. Government positions. Big pay. Summer vacation. Steady work. Common education sufficient. Parcel Post requires several thousand. "Pull" unnecessary. Thousands of appointments coming. Write immediately for free list of positions. Franklin Institute, Dept. 282E, Rochester, N. Y. je22,29; jy6,13,20-5t*

MY SPRING AND SUMMER line of fashionable piece goods, suitings and trouserings is now ready for inspection. All the latest styles, finest materials, everything guaranteed. Everything else pertaining to tailoring line done. No mail orders. Leger Meyer, the Practical Tailor, Princess building, second floor. ap27-su-tf

FOR SALE very cheap, one 1,000 pound Howe scale, 2 complete, large and brilliant gasoline store lights. One seine, 250 yards, 100 meshes, 2¼ inch, ready for fishing. One eight-day wall clock, one phaeton. Can be seen at 223 N. Seventh street. Address "Manufacturer," care Star. je1,8,15,22,29-5t

BE A DETECTIVE—Big pay. Easy work. Travel. We show you. Write for free particulars explaining everything. Write today. Frederick Wagner, 1243 Lexington avenue, New York. my11su20t

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH — The Wave Crest Cottage, right on the beach, between the Oceanic and Seaside Hotels. Table supplied directly from our farm. Everything new; free bath houses. Cottage No. 109. Get off at Station 1. Mrs. Fryar, Proprietress. je15-su,w-tf

GOVERNMENT positions are easy to get. y free booklet Y-1319 tells how. Write today—now. Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C. je1,4,8,11,15,18,22,25,25,29*

5 PER CENT MONEY loaned anywhere in the United States, to buy and build homes and pay off mortgages on farm or city property. Long time and easy payments, with prepayment privilege. J. W. Ponder, 612 Mutual Bldg., Richmond, Va. je19,tu,th,su-6t*

YE LEE'S CALIFORNIA LAUNDRY, 315 North Front street. 'Phone 1076. Work called for one morning and delivered the next evening, by calling 'phone 1076. Work done in best style. Buttons sewed on. je25-1mo

FOR RENT—Beautiful 9-room house on Washington street, Sunset Park. Suitable for two families. Every city convenience. Fidelity Trust & Development Co. 'Phone 312. je5-tf

THE GILBERT HOUSE—Combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets, junction of all cars. Electric lights and hot water. Steam heat. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Transient, $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Rates to regular and table boarders. je3-1mo

SEPARATED MILK for cooking, 20c per gallon. Fresh sweet cream, daily. A. G. Warren Ice Cream Co.; 'Phone 485. je13-tf

FOR SALE — Just received, one stylish family hourse; good driver; works anywhere. One pony built horse, weight about 900 pounds. Call and see them. J. J. Darby, 202 South Front street. je25-3t

FOR FINE Leather Goods and Trunks, see Uncle Charles, 16 South Front street. ap9-tf

"UNCLE SAM"

Money Deposited with "Uncle Sam" at

The American National Bank

on or before Wednesday, July 2nd, will draw 4% Compound Interest, from July 1st.

Get the Habit

THE INDEPENDENT ICE COMPANY
OFFERS THE PUREST
ICE

and the highest grade obtainable from any source. It is made from deep well water, pure and cold. Thiswater is converted into steam then condensed; after this it is re-boiled twice and filtered through charcoal and gravel—thus absolutely insuring pure ice.

Our ise has been passed upon by the highest analytical chemists in the country and pronounced absolutely pure.

Furthermore our ice is the most economical to use of any to be had—because it does not waste in cutting and breaking. Our delivery service is noted for its certainty and celerity, always on time—giving full weight or your money refunded double. That our company is appreciated is proven by the fact that our sales are 20 per cent greater than they were last Summer.

THE INDEPENDENT ICE COMPANY

Wednesday, July 2nd

This is to notify our friends that deposits made on or before the above date draw interest from the 1st of July.
One Dollar will open an account.
We shall be glad to have your business.
Bring in your Dividend Checks and Coupons. We will cash them for you.

Home Savings Bank
—ORTON BLDG—

TO CONSUMERS

If you want White, Nutritious Flour, that will make Bread and Biscuit to please you every day and Sunday, too, ask Your Grocer for

And if he hasn't got it, Insist Upon his Getting It for you.

J. W. BROOKS
Wholesale Distributor. Wilmington, N. C.

Parisian Ivory

The popularity of this ware is ever increasing, and its refined appearance appeals to all. We engrave without charge and fill in with enamel to match your boudoir furnishings.

A. O. Schuster
JEWELER
104 No. Front Street

Your Vacation Assured

You must plan ahead if you are to take a vacation this Summer. Else when the time comes, you won't have the funds.
We invite you to start a Vacation Fund with this bank. You are at liberty to draw out your money whenever you need it.
It is high time you began to save for the vacation which is coming later in life—old age. A bank account added to from time to time will insure a happy vacation in later life when your work is over and you are ready to rest.
The sooner you begin, the quicker you'll be able to retire and the further away from helplessness. Small accounts will receive careful attention.
A New Interest Quarter Begins June 2nd.

Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.
SOUTHERN BUILDING. OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE.

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PORCH SHADES and HAMMOCKS
Sole Dealers
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One good, medium size mule $150 cash or acceptable paper.

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Wilmington, N. C.

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COL. S. A. JONES ON FREIGHT RATES

Making Wilmington a Gateway Only Solution for the Problem

TRANS CONTINENTAL RAILWAY

Some Inside History of Previous Agitation of Question in This State —Physical Work is Only Needed—Remedy

To the Editor of The Star:

Dear Sir: Apropos the freight rate problem in North Carolina, I hand you herewith, an article from Col. S. A. Jones, of Waynesville, N. C., organizer of the Transcontinental Railway, which proposes to tap the coal fields of Tennessee and West Virginia, for export to Panama and the Indies, through Wilmington and Southport.

Col. Jones, it occurs to me, has exactly diagnosed the situation in stating that the solution of the whole matter lies in this State's compliance with the recommendation of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, to wit: to provide a gateway port of sufficient depth to afford the Commission a basis for fixing rail rates. That remedy has been suggested by the Commission, and in accordance therewith, this association has been working for the past seven years or more, to make of Wilmington a gateway port, by obtaining a depth of 30 feet in the Cape Fear river.

With the proposed steamship line, and a sufficient depth in the river to convince the Commission that Wilmington has finally achieved the status of a "gateway" or rate-basing port, the problem which is convulsing the business interests of the State should be solved, and the present rate discrimination against North Carolina brought to an end.

Yours very truly,
MEARES HARRISS,
Secretary North Carolina Waterways Association.

To the Editor: As I hold a commission from this State, Tennessee and Florida, under a joint resolution to Congress to enlist the aid of other States to help North Carolina stop this freight rate discrimination and have been faithfully fulfilling my mission, I believe that the time is now here that I have the right to, and should be heard on this momentous question of freight rate discrimination. I do not believe that there is a man in the past ten years in this State that has given more direct study, and has done more active and political work in and out of this State, and caused more hundreds of thousands of dollars to be spent to get the work in motion to relieve the State of North Carolina from freight rate discrimination, and excepting the time and cost of the assembly, and the legal expenses given, by the State to try to enforce the acts of one session of the Legislature, than the writer has, with his associates, to stop the freight rate discrimination; and we will compare sworn, itemized accounts.

I have watched the putting in operation of the power and strength of two North Carolina administrations against the discriminating rate being practiced in North Carolina; discriminations that have been prevailing for over a decade, and have been increasing year by year until they now equal $15,000,000 per annum; not only to a few points, but effecting the general traffic thoroughout the entire State.

I have read how California passed through this trial. I have worked in the fight that Florida made in the same cause. I have read how Colorado and other States have gone through the same trial. Therefore, it is no new thing. It is older than my citizenship in this State. It was the clarion cry of the Honorable Josephus Daniels, now Secretary of the Navy, and "The Raleigh News and Observer," when I came into this State over 15 years ago.

However, I didn't think much about it when I saw so little attention paid to the strong appeals of the "Observer," until after I had brought a million or two dollars into this State for investment and development. But it wasn't long thereafter until I found out, to my cost and that of my associates, that Mr. Daniels was right; and I saw the discrimination was rapidly increasing and spreading, and approaching a more acute stage each year, with Mr. Daniels daily hurling the strength of his great paper against the injustice, but nobody seemed to be willing to tackle it. I stepped into the network and made a careful investigation of the situation to see what was the reason that one of the most powerful papers couldn't arouse the people to stop the wrong. I soon discovered that just what he was saying in his paper was true. That the Legislature was chiefly composed of corporation attorneys to protect the corporations against any aggressive movement on the part of the people, privileges; but things have changed, and that the very best talent of this and sentiment against this wrong has State had been employed (a large por-grown so strong that it has taken, tion of it) to protect these corpora-and is now taking, almost retaliatory tions against interference with what legislation to convince the brainy and they deemed their just rights and able representatives of these roads that they are not dealing fairly with the people.

The writer saw, after careful study, that the State had lost the power it once had in railroads that it had built for its own protection, and that it had been frittered away; and the writer saw that it required an independent, State-controlled, competing line of railroad to tidewater on the State's own seashore, to practically and legally, under the new National common laws, meet the issue and stop the wrong.

Having had over a quarter of a century's experience in other States in helping to accomplish a similar work, and having come here broken down from overwork, and having recovered my health in this State, and being at the time of my coming, a member of the National Commission to secure the construction of the Nicaragua canal under the control of the United States government, it was plain, when the Republican administration had succeeded in switching the Isthmian canal from Nicaragua to Panama, thereby placing a 2,000-mile embargo on the commerce of the Gulf and the South Atlantic States in the interest of the Transcontinental railroads, that the time was ripe to begin the work of securing National and State co-operation to construct from a North Carolina port, as near as practicable, an air line of railroad to the Tennessee coal fields to connect there with roads for the northwest and secure a western mail line from Winnipeg, Canada via Chicago over those roads, and this South Atlantic road we are now constructing from Knoxville, Tenn., to Wilmington and Southport, and from there, by government aid, it is aimed to open up steamship mail line to the West Indies, Southern Europe and the east coast of South America.

Back in the days of 1905, not a very long span, no charter could be procured in the North Carolina Assembly that had on its face the purpose of competition with the old lines then and now crossing the State. So I secured the aid and co-operation of one of the best and most conservative attorneys of the State, Gen. Theo. F. Davidson, who has been twice attorney general of the State and acquainted with the State's laws as well as any man in the State, to prepare the charter, and we named it: "The Waynesville & Asheville Electric Railway & Power Company," so named as to escape the scrutiny of the Legislature, which was in those days composed of men of ability, competent to defeat any bill that they might notice carried provision for the construction of a competing line with the Southern Railway, or any other lines controlling North Carolina's commerce.

We got the foundation laid in that charter whereby we were able, under a pledge, to secure a very simple amendment thereto, to get foreign capital to guarantee (and they did make the guarantee) to put up the money for the construction of the entire line at four per cent on the cost of construction, on the basis that the State should guarantee the four per

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Distinguished American Diplomats

Top, Left to Right:—Joseph E. Willard, Thomas Nelson Page, Benton McMillan. Lower:—Frederic C. Penfield, Edward J. Hale, Henry Morgenthau.

Joseph E. Willard, of Virginia, will be Minister to Belgium, at one time Congressman from Virginia, and ex-Lieutenant Governor of that State. Is a millionaire.

Thomas Nelson Page, the noted author, will go as Ambassador to Italy, to succeed Thomas J. O'Brien. Mr. Page was born in Virginia, but now resides in Washington.

Benton McMillan, distinguished ex-Governor of Tennessee, slated as Minister to Peru.

Frederic C. Penfield, of New York, has been selected as Ambassador to Austria. He has been in the diplomatic service before. He was the American Consul-General to Egypt during 1893-1897. His fortune is estimated at $60,000,000.00.

Edward J. Hale, of North Carolina, will go as Minister to Costa Rica. Was Consul to Manchester, England, during Cleveland's administration. Is distinguished in England, India and this country for his ability and achievements. Confederate officer in the war between the States.

Henry Morganthau, of New York, is slated as Minister to Turkey. Mr. Morganthau is a German by birth, and is now one of New York's powerful attorneys.

THE GETTYSBURG FIGHT

General Metts Submits Articles Corroborating His Statements Relative to Pickett-Pettigrew Controversy—Testimony

Accompanied by a note stating that the enclosed articles corroborated the statements of Trimble's and Pettigrew's men and others, especially those of General Lane and Lieut. Col. Morris, as published in The Star June 1st, General James I. Metts, of this city, submits the following two statements, one from "Battles and Leaders of the Civil War," by Lieut. L. E. Bicknell, of the 1st Massachuests Sharpshooters, and the other by Gen. Franklin Sawyer, who was lieutenant colonel of the 8th Ohio Volunteers:

General Frank Sawyer, lieutenant colonel of the 8th Volunteers, in the history of the regiment gives the following description of Pettigrew's column in the assault:

"They moved up splendidly, deploying into column as they crossed the long sloping interval between their second corps and their base. At first it looked as if their line of march would sweep our position, but as they advanced their direction lay considerably to our left; but soon a strong line, with flags, directed, its march immediately upon us.

"We changed our front, and taking position by a fence facing the left flank of the advancing column of rebels, the men were ordered to fire into their flank at will. Hardly a musket had been fired at this time. The front of the column was nearly up the slope, and within a few yards of the line of the second corps' front and its batteries, when suddenly a terrific fire from every available gun from the cemetery to Round Top Mountain burst upon them.

"The distinct, graceful lines of the rebels underwent an instantaneous transformation. They were at once enveloped in a dense cloud of smoke and dust. Arms, blankets, guns and knapsacks were thrown and tossed into the clear air. Their track, as they advanced, was strewn with dead and wounded. A moan went up from the field, distinctly to be heard amid the storm of battle; but on they went too much enveloped in smoke and dust now to permit us to distinguish their lines or movements, for the mass appeared more like a cloud of moving smoke or dust than a column of troops.

"Still it advanced amid the now-

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deafening roar of artillery and storm of battle. Suddenly the column gave way, the sloping landscape appeared covered all at once with the scattered and retreating foe. A withering sheet of missiles swept after them, and they were torn and tossed and prostrated as they ran. It seemed as if not one would escape. Of the mounted officers who rode so grandly in the advance, not one was to be seen on the field; all had gone down. The 8th Ohio advanced and cut off three regiments as they passed us taking their colors and capturing many prisoners. The colors captured were those of the 34th North Carolina, 38th Virginia (both taken by Sergeant Miller, Company C), and one that was taken from the captor, Private James Richmon, Company F, by a staff officer, the number of the regiment not being remembered. The battle was now over. The field was covered with slain and wounded, and every where were to be seen white hankerchiefs held up, asking for quarter."

By L. E. Bicknell, lieutenant, 1st Massachusetts Sharpshooters:

"Upon the excursion of Massachusetts veterans to Gettysburg, I found a monument in Ziegler's Grove to the 28th Pennsylvania Volunteers. It marks the spot where our infantry were being rapidly cut down by the enemys' sharpshooters in the front on the morning of the 3rd of July, the third day's fight.

"In fact, when with 20 of the 1st Company of Massachusetts Sharpshooters, I entered the grove, our infantry were virtually driven from it. We held the grove to the right and left of the monument, until the heavy cannonading checked the sharpshooting. A shattered remnant of some regiment, perhaps the one which had suffered so in front of and in the grove, lay along the remnants of a stone wall in our rear, and during the heavy cannonading which preceded, many others sought the seeming shelter of the grove.

"Just before the grand charge, at the request of General Alexander Hays, who commanded the third division, second corps, I gathered all these men who lay in the grove, and General Hays formed them in line to the right of the Bryan House, which is the first house to the right of the monument on the line of battle as you go toward Round Top. At the time of the battle the grove extended to the house. I took position, with the remnant of my squad of sharpshooters, on the right of this line.

"While the enemy were advancing to the Emmitsburg road, General Hays drilled the line in the manual of arms, allowed them to fire left oblique while the enemy were closing with our line to the left of the Bryan House and swung them down by a left wheel to the lane which then ran to the Bryan House from the Emmitsburg road, across which lane they then fired. The moment chosen for the left wheel or flanking movement was just as the last division of the charging column was crossing the Emmitsburg road, moving direct for Ziegler's Grove. As the entire front of the second corps to the left of the Bryan House was already covered, and in many places penetrated; this fresh division would probably have forced our line back and gained the shelter of Ziegler's Grove had it not been subjected to our flank fire, which destroyed its formation and sent its shattered and disordered masses along the other side of the lane and in front of the second division of the second corps.

"I finally drew back our line a little from the fence to prevent our rear being gained by the enemy moving north on the Emmitsburg road, and also to uncover a gun (or two guns, I forget which), that had, during the melee, been got in position at the head of the lane near the Bryan road. As the enemy crowded forward into the lane, the fire of the guns ended the contest.

"The 'clump of trees' upon Bacholder's chart is near the point where a standard struck the right flank. Ziegler's Grove, farther north, is the 'clump of trees' where I was, and to which I refer, and to which General Longstreet refers in his letter to me mentioned further on. It is the blow upon the left flank, and not upon the right flank to which we all refer.

"That there might not be any mistake I sent General Longstreet a chart of the battle field furnished me by the Gettysburg Battle Field Memorial Association, on which I marked the lane runing down from Ziegler's Grove to the Emmitsburg road.

"I have not learned yet what regiments, or fragments of regiments, composed the line swung down, but they were strangers to me and I have just that the 39th, 11th, 125th and 126th New York were added to the third division, second corps, on the march to Gettysburg. I left the army after the battle and so had no opportunity to learn afterwards.

"With regard to the blow struck on Pettigrew's left by the 8th Ohio Regiment, the Ohio men say that they lay west of the Emmitsburg road. If so they must have been north of the front of the right of Ziegler's Grove, as we faced.

"After we had swung down on the left flank to the lane we were struck by A. P. Hill's men, who faced Ziegler's Grove, upon our right and rear so forcibly that I had given the order to 'left wheel backwards, firing,' and the order was being executed when Hill's men abandoned our rear.

"It is my strong impression that the Ohio regiment pitched into Hill's men, who were pitching into our flank and rear. I remember distinctly that our artillerist at our right, seeing our imminent danger, poured in the grape and canister upon our rear assailant in a lively manner.

General Longstreet writes to me from Atlanta, Ga., January 4th, 1884, as follows:

"'The move of which you speak I remember quite well and my impression is that it was made against Pickett's men.

"'At its first appearance I sent orders for a counter-move. I think the order was sent by Colonel Osman Latrobe, now of Baltimore. Colonel Latrobe can probably give you more definite information of the troops you may have struck.

"'At the first appearance of the troops of this move I recognized it as one that would break up my assault, but I looked on the movements of the third corps—A. P. Hill—as certain to break the intended flank move.

"'Soon after the flank movement was disclosed a severe fire from artillery, etc., coming in across our line from the right as we advanced hurt our supporting columns badly.

"'If you struck their left you may claim to have put in very heavy blows at the critical moment, for the breaking of the supporting force broke up the attack or hope of success from it. We could not look for anything from Pickett except to break your line. The supports were to secure the fruits of that break.'"

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HOUSEWIFE'S REFEREERENCE

Sorosis Calls Attention to the Reference Plan in Vogue in Washington City — Co-operation Invited. Servant Problem.

The Housewife's Reference Circle of Sorosis wishes to call the attention of housekeepers to the advantages of the plan dealing with domestic servants, as set forth in the article given below; and in order to make such a registry a positive help and force for the housekeepers, they are all invited to join and co-operate in the plan.

Information may be secured by calling the secretary, 'phone 622, between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock A. M., up to July 1st. After then, the secretary will be Mrs. W. L. Beery, No. 401 Market street; 'phone 1004-J.

The article to which attention is directed is written by Alice E. Whitaker, on the subject: "Substitute for Written Reference," and is as follows:

The average written reference given to domestic workers has an exceedingly small face value, for it is likely to avoid the truth entirely or to be so cleverly worded that various interpretations can be made between the lines. It may cause vexation and disappointment in other households, and any sort of prevarication is a bad example to employes. Therefore, it is a matter of deep regret that so few housewives have sufficient moral backbone to write the truth when asked by a retiring helper for a statement of her ability or character.

With this common lack of genuine references in mind, an organized group of women in Washington, D. C., called the Housekeepers' Alliance, is trying, in addition to other lines of investigation and experiment, to make it possible for a housekeeper to learn facts about the woman that she proposes to take into her employ and into her home.

A Reference Circle was formed, whose members agree to give full and accurate information regarding domestic employees upon schedules furnished by the secretary of the circle. All information is confidential, for the blanks are never shown to an employee and no information is given out to other housekeepers by the secretary while the employee yet holds her position. The secretary is notified when and why an employee leaves, and she adds this information to the schedule on file. The members also agree to give and to require, whenever possible, one week's notice of employees working by the month.

The Reference Circle has two distinct registers. The reference registry of monthly employees, intended primarily to secure adequate references, aims at a complete record of the workers employed by members, whether satisfactory or not. The registry of day workers includes men and women employed and recommended by alliance members. The use of this registry is a membership privilege, and it depends largely for its accuracy on the information furnished by the housekeepers. It is consulted through the secretary of the circle.

The blank to be filled out concerning workers employed by the month, or what may be called permanent help, includes questions that assist identification; also about character, health, habits, work, wages, how long employed, reason for leaving and if suitable notice is given. When properly filled out this blank, kept strictly in care of the secretary, would give information something like this:

Jane Jones is of American birth about 40 years of age, single, tall, slight and dark. She attends church occasionally; is of rather quick temper, but is entirely honest. Her health seems good, with the exception of occasional slight attacks of rheumatism. She is personally very neat; is temperate and has few visitors at the house. She rooms outside with relatives; is fairly punctual to come to work, yet occasionally is absent a day without a very good excuse. Her work is cooking and general care of the house, with no laundry, and in all she is fairly efficient. She excels in meat and vegetable cookery, but knows less about pastry and desserts. She was in my employ about ten months, and left with two weeks' notice, evidently for no other reason than desire for change. Then follows the signature, address, size of family, and date.

When Jane Jones seeks employment elsewhere, if the housekeeper is a member of the alliance, she calls up the secretary of the circle by telephone and listens to the reading of the filed record of the applicant. If the housewife concludes to hire, it is with open eyes and a knowledge of good and weak points as seen by another housekeeper.

The auxiliary service, which provides all sorts of household aids, furnishes blanks on which space is given for writing name, address, price per hour or day, efficiency and reliability, and other remarks or facts, as they come to mind. These are signed by past employer, recommending the worker, and are dated.

From time to time the secretary revises the addresses of the workers, as some of them are likely to move often. This auxiliary service is more active and wide-reaching than the other; as, for instance, one housewife recently secured musicians for her reception on one day and a laundress for another day of the same week. The request for plain seamstresses and menders is steady, while Spring and Fall bring requests for special laundresses for lace curtains and fine lingerie. Good, plain laundresses are always in demand, and there are frequent calls for a good cook or waitress, or both, when a company dinner or luncheon is liable to upset the household routine. Nurses, hair-dressers and dressmakers are also available; and among the men workers are found those who will come by the hour for polishing floors or cleaning windows, who will take care of furnaces, repair electric bells, cut lawns, wait on table or door, and a few are competent to take full charge of a dinner party. A list of business firms whose dealings have been especially satisfactory to the members, is also on file.

This is the third year of the experiment, and while it is sometimes hard to rouse housekeepers from their proverbial conservatism, yet the hundred members of the alliance are fast learning to appreciate the convenience and the safety of consulting the Reference Circle.

It is also encouraging to note that many domestic workers, especially on the auxiliary list, are coming to see that the registry is helping them to a demand for good work and at fair and just prices. Poor work has no show, and it is an assurance of ability to be listed—a fact of which many of the workers are justly proud.

The Housekeepers' Alliance was organized in 1907 for the scientific study and investigation of domestic problems and the members believe that the condition of both housekeeper and worker can be improved greatly by co-operation.

Baxter Shemwell, of Lexington, who has figured extensively in the courts at various times, first coming in the lime-light when he killed Dr. Payne at Lexington many years ago, and gaining wide notoriety again a few years ago when he forced a Southern Railway conductor to stop a fast train at Lexington to let him off, was in court again during the week on charge of assaulting a crippled telegraph operator in the Lexington station. He was fined $15 and costs.

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1155	C. H. White	Pay Roll	862.84
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1157	Springer Coal Co	Coal—W. & S.	158.56
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1166	C. H. White	Sundry Items	19.22
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1172	C. H. White	Pay Roll	5,290.91
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1229	J. O. Reilly	Tax Refund	77.00
1230	Tower-Binford Co	Electrical supplies	14.62
		Total for Month	$ 34,782.42
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COL. S. A. JONES ON FREIGHT RATES

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We dared not name that the purpose of the road was to stop freight rate discirimination, for that meant certain defeat to the four per cent interest guarantee. The guarantee bill finally met defeat at the hands of eight votes in the Senate; five out of the eight being attorneys of these large railroad corporations. When they saw the storm they had stirred up, for the House was overwhelmingly for it, they turned right around and voted that the convicts of the State be given to help build the road, in lieu of the four per cent guarantee. And from that day on it lay in the power of Governor Glenn to have backed that bill, and in six months put a thousand men to work on the road. Then followed Governor Kitchin, and the same power lay in his hands. But it was unpopular among the transportation powers of the State to have the road built and was likely to injure any man's political aspiration that had the nerve to enforce the law to build the road and stop the rate wrong.

It has now fallen under Governor Craig's administration, and it lies within his power to enforce the law of 1907 and in less than two years free this State, without any extra session of the Assembly, or any long drawn out litigation, from this freight rate discrimination.

But the State is only partly awakened to the wrong that has been going on. They have never fully comprehended it, and don't know today that there lies power within the State's hands, with every element requisite and no cost to the State worth mentioning, to do the one thing required—to stop this freight rate discrimination.

Thousands of people in the State don't know that thousands of dollars have been spent by Asheville men, and hundreds of thousands of booklets have been sent out from the sea to the Tennessee lines, and across Tennessee and clear back to Minnesota to explain this wrong and the remedy for it; and that a commissioner has been at work in other States, telling them of North Carolina's wrong, and winning the support in every State he has visited up to now. There are more than 10,000,000 that know a great deal about it outside of North Carolina, for the writer has published column after column, and pages of maps in great daily papers throughout this and other States. But the chief thing that was attracting the attention of the people of North Carolina was the passenger rate, which didn't amount to two per cent of the freight rate discrimination.

Every citizen of the State knows with what determination Governor Glenn's administration tackled the passenger rate, and they won; simply because we were not then controlled by the Inter-State Commerce Commission. And at the same session they opened up the freight rate fight, with as much zeal as this administration did, and they had the memorable hearing of the railroads of the State, and heard one railroad president say that his salary was larger than his conscience would permit him to accept, and it would take him thirty days or more, to really ascertain what his salary was. But he did know it was too big for his conscience to accept, because he didn't believe he was worth it.

After that hearing the Glenn Legislature passed a law, that was thought to be as strong as could be written, to break up the freight rate discrimination, but it didn't do it. Governor Craig is making just as noble a fight as Governor Glenn did, but he has no better arms of the law to fight with than Governor Glenn did.

The railroads patiently responded to all the summons, and when the last decision was made against them by the Supreme Court, they appealed to the United States Court, and a Federal judge was appointed to hear the State's appeal in New York, and when it was through with, he rendered his decision, that the acts of the Legislature of North Carolina and the rulings of the North Carolina court from the lowest to the highest were of no avail.

Then the State appealed to the Inter-State Commerce Commission, a legal, National-created body of men for the specific purpose of settling such contentions. That commission didn't rule that the railroads were right, nor that the State was wrong. They simply said give North Carolina a rate-basing port, and they would immediately order the same rates for North Carolina that her sister States enjoy.

And instead of the State putting its shoulders to the wheel, and complying with the recommendations of the InterState Commerce Commission and pushing forward and holding up the hands of the writer, who was commissioned by the State of North Carolina, Tennesse and Florida to secure the construction of a road and the opening of a rate-basing port, it appealed to the Court of Appeals and lost out there. Then it appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States, and lost out there. And now the State is preparing to call an extra session of the Assembly, that will put the State to another extra cost, and to the legal expenses of maintaining a costly law suit from the lowest to the highest court in the State, and from the lowest to the highest court in the Federal government to get the same decision agin, unless Congress amends the inter-State commerce law for the particular purpose of serving North Carolina; when it has already been told what would give the State relief, as stated above.

The people ought to read the fight Senator Overman and Senator Simmons made to correct it in the long and short haul; but they couldn't give any reason that would convince Congress that relief would come that way, and they can give no better reasons now than were given then.

Just so long as the State of North Carolina fails to perform the physical act it was advised to do at the very outset by the Inter-State Commerce Commission, just so long will the discrimination go on.

The State was amply able to do it then, and is amply able to do it now, with ample labor in its hands, and money is now being secured for the second time by western North Carolina to enable it to comply with the instructions of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, and when this is done, a State-controlled road is built (and it can be done with a little co-operation on the part of the State) and connected with the mailship lines at its port terminals the wrong will cease.

The writer said at the last General Assembly and says now that if the State had passed the four per cent interest guarantee, which would not have cost the State a penny, but would have given it a forty-nine per cent ownership in the road for guaranteeing the four per cent interest on the bonds, it would have stopped the discrimination that has cost this State over $70,000,000 from June, 1907, to June, 1913.

The writer, and his friends in Western Carolina, as is known throughout this State, offered, at the session of 1907 the remedy, under the four per cent bill, at not a penny's cost to the State, provided to the splitting of a hair for the State's protection and how to apply it. And we stand ready today to meet a committee of five of the ablest men in North Carolina that the Governor can name, and we will name five men, and let the ten name the eleventh; and if we don't prove that practically a costless, simple way still lies in the hands of the State today to stop it, without the requirements of a single additional act of the Legislature, if the Governor will put in operation the laws of 1907 and the amendments thereto, the passage of which we procured for the specific purpose of meeting the requirements of the inter-State commerce law to stop this discrimination, he will soon see the great freight rate discrimination a thing of the past, and the State will put by the application of the remedy, $50,000,000 to $60,000,000 of valuable securities in her treasury, and her taxable property be swelled by more than $100,000,000.

If Governor Craig does not believe it, let him appoint a committee; and they can have ten days in Wilmington, ten days in Charlotte, ten days in Asheville, and five days in Knoxville, Tennessee, to investigate every word I am saying, and if we don't win out, we will pay for the costs.

The cheapest thing on earth is talk. It is work, facts and money that uncover deceit and open truth to the light and get results. Nothing has been, or is being lost by these investigations and this agitation. It is doing good and is uncovering deceit and educating more people to the fact that a serious wrong is prevailing, and it is putting the people in search of the remedy. And the remedy has been under their eyes for more than seven long years. A few of the best men in Western Carolina, have helped the writer to furnish the facts and given the statistics of this great wrong and name the remdy.

But these men in Western Carolina are pushing along the best they can with the work, with but little aid from those that will be benefitted.

The organization of an association to secure better freight rates will do a great good, but certainly no thoughtful man can believe that the railroads of this State will hand over $15,000,000 a year when all of the highest courts of the land have decided that they do not have to do it unless North Carolina will do the one physical thing needful that will put the strong arm of the United States behind the order saying they shall do it.

I haveloved Joe Daniels for his Democracy, and this letter is in no wise a personal attack on him, and there are few men that have labored more faithfully for the principles of the Democratic party than Mr. Daniels. But when it comes to his business judgment against that of four sessions of the Legislature, and the whole people of Western Carolina, as to what is best for Western Carolina and this State as a whole as to the practical way to settle this great freight rate question, I say, with no disrespect to him, that he, more than any other man and paper (for his is the only paper in this State of any size that has opposed the work) has helped cost this State and Western Carolina over $70,000,000 in the last decade. I have given him credit of acting with the best intentions in the world because I knew he was acting without knowledge of the great interest involved all over the State as affected by this discrimination; and there are thousands of men all over Western Carolina, and many throughout the State that not only believe, but know this to be true; but the people are getting tired, and have but little sympathy with the methods that have been followed since the State has been advised by the Inter-State Commerce Commission, the needful thing to do to free Western Carolina and this States as a whole from freight rate discrimination.

I have challenged Mr. Daniels to joint debate in Western Carolina on this subject; I have challenged him to publish in his paper official statistics and figures and facts, and the law to disprove the position we have taken on this rate subject. And we challenge him now; or any man noted for intelligence or integrity in this State, to prove by the law and figures and facts that we are not right, for I know I speak for many men when I say we.

I have lived and loved, all the days of my life, since I have been able to understand right and wrong, the high ideals of the Democracy that Governor Craig stands for, and I love him today for the brave stand he has made for these principles; but, we are sorry he did not, in his inaugural address, or in any of his messages to the Assembly, find it to the interest of this State to tell the Assembly that some of his best friends in Western Carolina, and in his own home, had their shoulder to the wheel and had been making a long and faithful fight, and to stop this freight rate wrong, and that he wanted it understood by the Assembly that he was going to do all in his power to forward their efforts and expected the support of the Assembly in the work. He did not do it. It would have been a power of help at that time to the work. The encouragement was expected to have been heard by the people of this mountain range. Not hearing it, our enemies bloom forth to try to discredit the great work. All the same, I admire the Governor's tenacity and honest determination of purpose to stop this freight rate discrimination.

Governor Craig has appointed a committee of three men, and the Assembly has confirmed them and given them power to close the rate fight. Three truer, cleaner men don't live in the State; two of them I love as brothers. They are the equal of any two men in the North Carolina bar. The other I do not know personally but his name is honored, else Governor Craig would not have appointed him. These men are to cope with the very best business brain and talent that money can employ—not to study law, but to study transportation business. It does not take a lawyer to make a business man, but it takes a pretty good business man to make a good lawyer.

The laws affecting the North Carolina rates dispute have been written by able men, and passed by as able an Assembly as has ever gathered in this State, and those laws have been interpreted by the highest courts in the land, and under that interpretation, the remedy for North Carolina relief has been named.

The railroads admit at every hearing that the rates are not fair, but that the North Carolina road cannot control all the rates, but the Inter-State Commerce Commission has suggested the remedy and the courts will not enjoin the roads from collecting the rates until the State puts itself in line to meet the requirements. I understand I was appointed to get all the influence I could from other States to make the appropriations to perform the physical work that would put in motion the arm of the Inter-State Commerce Commission to stop the wrong.

I attended the New York hearing under Governor Glenn's administration. I heard nothing new. I attended the first day's meeting of Governor Craig and his committee with the railroad men of this State. Bouquets were passed and I enjoyed the love feast; but the true note of the whole situation was sounded by that practical young president, Mr. Harrahan, in whose father's office as a little curly-headed boy I learned my first lesson about railroads. He said to the Governor and committee: "I don't understand just what is wanted. If we are wrong and you are right, or if we are right and you are wrong, the court of the Inter-State Commerce Commission is the place for this question to be heard and by men that have practical knowledge of the freight rate business of this Nation." I think every railroad man in that room nodded assent, but the peace conference was continued. Everybody knows the final result as it stands today. Now, to some practical things to be considered. Can a man that never served a day in the operating department of a railroad, and in the adjustments of the division of freight between the various lines know what to ask a man to get at a fact, and know when he gets the answer whether it is a whole fact or just enough to stand the test of the truth of the statement?

The ablest of lawyers would melt with fatigue if he were handed ten pounds of tea in Hong Kong, China, billed for St. Petersburg, Russia via San Francisco, over the American Transcontinental Railroad, three or four of them, and through North Carolina over two of these systems on to an ocean steamship line at Wilmington, to be delivered in Liverpool over a long string of eastern continental roads to be delivered in St. Petersburg, the rate made in Hong Kong being $2.50 for the shipment from Hong Kong to St. Petersburg, Russia and asked to give each carrier interested its proportionate share. Of course, every school boy knows that $2.50 has to be fairly divided with every railroad system, and every ship line that touches it on the route. These railroads crossing North Carolina must know for certain that they are getting their just proportion of that $2.50. Under the inter-State commerce law one system of railroad that carries that tea is allowed to charge one rate; another another rate, and the combination of them must adjust the rate so as to satisfy the steamship companies that they are dealing fair. So this $2.50 is scattered from Hong Kong to St. Petersburg, and a portion of that $2.50 comes to North Carolina railroads, and wrapped up in that small proportion that the North Carolina roads get, is still the smaller portion of that rate made in Hong Kong, China, that carries one of the atoms that go to make up the $15,000,000 per annum overcharge that North Carolina is paying every year over the rates for the same.

All the extra sessions that the Legislature could hold in a century, until something is either done by the State, as pointed out by the Inter-State Commerce Commission, or unless Congress amends the Inter-State commerce law, there will be no relief worth mentioning to the people of this State against this freight rate discrimination!

S. A. JONES.

Commissioned by this State to secure a rate-basing port to stop freight rate discrimination. Waynesville, North Carolina.

ADVICE TO POULTRYMEN.

Department of Agriculture Issues Two Bulletins.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., June 28.—The two Farmers' Bulletins relating to the Poultry Industry recently issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, entitled "Hints to Poultry Raisers" and "Important Poultry Diseases," present to poultrymen a very concise and, at the same time, comprehensive statement as to the difficulties encountered and the best methods of overcoming them.

The selection of a breed suited to the requirements of the owner, the artificial and natural incubation and brooding, the construction of houses and fixtures, methods of feeding, egg production and marketing are all covered in short, terse, convincing statements in the first mentioned bulletin.

The second supplements this information and the other advice as to the prevention of lice and mites and the treatment of common diseases, with a full and detailed description of the important diseases affecting fowls and the remedies which have been found effective.

Contagious diseases and the larger parasites are the most important obstacles which the poultryman has to overcome to keep his birds in a healthy condition. Preventive measures are the best and also the cheapest, because, no matter how large the first cost, the great loss inflicted by an epidemic in which a number of birds may die, is saved, and also the indirect but even greater loss, which the weakened condition and loss of product cause, is eliminated.

There are, of course, cases in which medicines may be advantageously given or applied to sick fowls, but generally speaking, it is better to kill all sick birds and thus avoid the spread of disease to many other birds in the flock. Then, a sick bird is an indication that it is more susceptible to disease than the other birds of the flock, which, to be strong and healthy, must be relieved of the menace of delicate and susceptible members.

Even with flocks practically free from disease germs and parasites, it requires the utmost watchfulness and care to maintain them in that condition. There are a number of reasons given for this, and mature and experience bought advice is given as to preparation and maintenance of poultry houses and yards free from the germs and parasites which so often turn a prosperous business into another of the many failures at "Poultry raising for a profit."

London will be one of the best lighted cities in the world when the installation of a new system of centrally suspended lamps using high pressure gas with inverted burners has been completed.

Dogs are to be employed as sentries for the fortress of Gibraltar by the British government.

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NATIONAL ROADS OF FRANCE

If the French Can Maintain System of National Highways, United States Ought to be Able to Do So.

"If France, with about four times the area and four times the population of New York State, can adequately and economically provide and maintain from a centralized source a National roads system of 24,000 miles, it is not unreasonable to contend that the same thing can be accomplished for the whole United States," asserts Lewis R. Speare, of Massachusetts, who served as chairman of the resolutions committee of the second Federal Aid Good Roads Convention called by the American Automobile Association.

"France admittedly has the best roads system so far devised," continues Mr. Speare, "and its National roads constitute about 6 1-2 per cent. of the 365,000 miles in the whole country."

"The National roads, maintained entirely by the government, are constructed 42 feet wide between ditches, and lead from the capital to the principal cities, ports and commercial centers, and between the principal cities. With the departmental or State roads, and commercial roads of different classes, the National government has nothing to do except to determine their width, which is fixed by general laws according to their classification.

"The United States has two and a half times the population of France, and about six times the road mileage. To balance this difference, a series of National roads which would connect our capitals and principal cities would duly amount to about 2 1-4 per cent. of the 2,200,000 miles of roads in this country as compared with the 6 1-2 per cent. in France, bringing the mileage of National roads per person in the United States about the same as in France.

"With our enormous resources awaiting development by the extension of our road systems, there seems no reason why we should not proceed with the work of building National roads. National roads building did not ruin France; it made France great.

"The idea of building up a political machine out of a road construction bureau does not deserve consideration. In all of the important governmental work being carried on it seems the policy of all parties to see that it is conducted economically and honestly, whatever party chances to be in power. A fair instance of that is the evolution of the railroads of the country which is just to begin, in which civil service examinations will soon be held for the selection of several thousand civil and mechanical engineers.

"M. Fornand Bordas, a leading French engineer, writing for the Third International Road Congress, now in session in London, says: 'The National roads, which connect the capital to the frontiers and to the large towns, or else form a connecting link between the more densely populated centers, are of the greatest interest to the country as a whole, not only from an economic point of view, but also from a strategic one, as assuring communication between points at long distances apart. It is therefore essential that their general trend, general plan, and width, should be settled unfettered by local influences.'

"This is the idea that the A. A. A. National Good Roads board have been and are endeavoring to impress upon the lawmakers of this country. It seems as though plans which have been so eminently successful in other countries, and productive of such excellent results, are worthy a trial here.

"I believe the newly created Committee on Public Roads will be of the greatest value in the adoption of legislation worthy of the bigness of the subject."

SHOOTING MIGRATORY BIRDS.

Weeks-McLean Bill Effective October First—Provisions.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—The eagerly awaited regulations of the Department of Agriculture fixing the seasons for shooting migratory birds, under the Weeks-McLean law, are announced. Generally speaking, the country is divided into two zones—Northern and Southern. The dividing line is north of lattitude 40 degrees and the Ohio river.

The 23 States included in the Southern zone are Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, West Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Nevada and Utah.

The zones thus established take the place of 50 similar districts now existing under the statutes of the several States. The shooting seasons for the zones vary according to the four classifications of migratory birds.

The closed seasons in most cases take the average of the State laws, and there has been more cutting down on the closing than on the opening dates of the shooting seasons as they now exist. In most cases three months of open shooting are allowed for water fowl. Spring shooting is absolutely prohibited, as is night shooting. In no case will there be less than 30 days when birds may be shot during the period of their greatest abundance.

Water fowl may be shot in the Southern zone from October 1st to January 15th; rail from September 1st to December 1st; woodcock from November 1st to January 1st; and shore birds from September 1st to December 15th. No shooting whatever is allowed of cranes or the columbidae—doves, pigeons, etc.

Success

(From The Savoy Star.)

The following answer to "What is success?" received a prize of $250: "He has achieved success who has lived well, laughed often and loved much, who has gained the respect of intelligent men and the love of little children; who has filled his niche and accomplished his task; who has left the world better than he found it whether by an improved poppy, a perfect poem or an improved soul; who has never lacked appreciation of earth's beauty or failed to express it; who has always looked for the best in others and given the best he had; whose life was an inspiration, whose death was a benediction."

Japanese statistical authorities at Tokyo place the production of camphor in Japan, including Formosa, at 6,600,000 pounds. Japan is credited with producing more than one-half of the world's supply. Formosa is represented by 4,000,000 pounds and Shikoku and Kyushu by 2,000,000 pounds.

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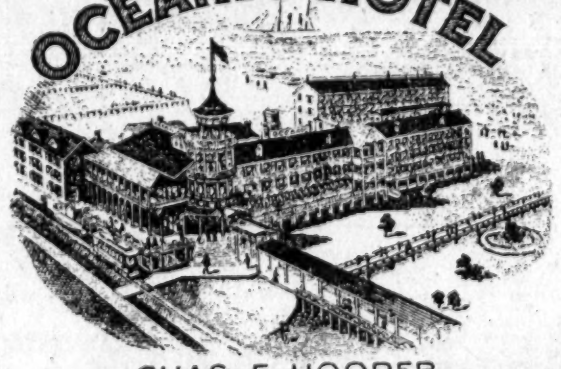

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Address Delivered on May Twentieth Before the Members of the North Carolina Society in New York City.

Dr. Talmage once said: "The scientist may puzzle us about whence we came, and the theologian may worry us about whither we are going, but neither scientist nor theologian can rob us of the satisfaction of being here."

Tonight I can give a hearty amen to the words of the preacher. Fresh from the land of the Cornu-copia, and happy in the warmth of your reception, I am in a superlatively optimistic mood, and subscribe to the full capitalization of the hour. The common sense of today pleads the statute of limitations against the worries of the past, and the laws of North Carolina make dealing in futures a crime.

Dear John Charles McNeil, in lines that smell and smack of the soil, exposes the folly of making all our deposits in the "Bank of Tomorrow."

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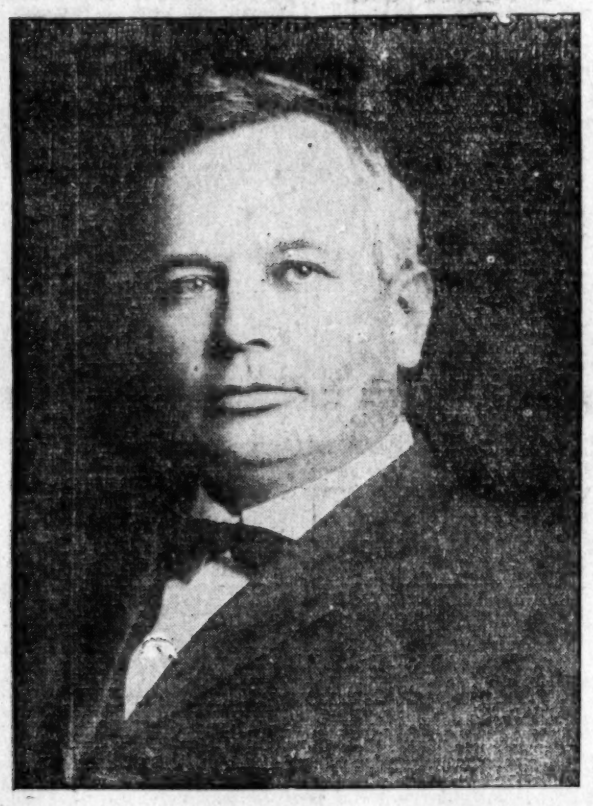
"I knowed a' ol' man died powerful rich—
Two mules, en lan' en a cow.
I jis' soon die fum fallin' in a ditch,
Fer he went to his grave fum's plow.
He never had nothin' 't wus good to eat
Ner no piller upon his bed;
He never took time to dance wid his feet,
But he's gwine a take a long time dead.

"I knowed a' ol' ooman wut scrubbed en hoed
En never didn't go nowhar,
En when she died de people knowed
Dat she had supp'n hid 'bout dar.
She mought a' dressed up en' a' done supp'n wrong,
En had her a coht-case ple'd.



ATTORNEY GENERAL T. W. BICKETT.

But she didn't have time to live veh long;
She's gwine have a plenty dead.

"So I says, if I manage to save enough
Fum de wages I gits dis yur,
I is right den takin' a few days off,
At one thing en an'er.
'Ca'se while I is got my mouf en eyes
En a little wheel in my head,
I's gwine a live fas', fer when I dies
I'll sho' be a long time dead."

A Financial Expert.

Upon being asked to speak to a New York audience my first impulse was to talk about money. Now was not that a singular contradiction of the law of association of ideas? I suppose the thought must have been born of a subconscious conviction of my ability to handle the subject in masterful fashion. Questions of finance, high or low, frenzied or frigid, are so easy of solution to the man who lives in a village of 2,000 people. He can approach their consideration with an absolutely quiet mind. Take the knottiest problem that vexes Wall Street, and on a night like this I can easily dispose of it between soup and cigars. The secret of my power is this: As an old maid is the ultimate authority on children, so is a North Carolina State officer the ultimate authority on money; neither has any. But I shall refrain from elucidating the subject. It is apparent that it will be of no interest to you on this occasion. I can see that you all feel and I realize that you have a constitutional right to feel, if but for a single night, that you have plenty of money and no poor kin.

So, eschewing everything that smacks of argument or exegesis, putting behind me the great temptation to lay before you a formula for the healing of the Nation, and steering far from those high zones, traversed by the oratorical aviator, I am just going to gossip with you a little while in family fashion, about the folks "down home."

The entire family, regardless of age, sex, race, color, or previous condition of servitude send loving greetings to the boys. We all feel that you are our big brothers who have stood the acid test of this metropolis and have proved pure gold. Frankly, we are a bit proud of you and don't care who knows it.

Testing Our Humility.

Indeed, there seems to be on foot a conspiracy to rob us of the virtue that has made us famous—our humility. And the head and front of this conspiracy seems to be the President of the United States. Why, he came down home and found an editor who is so modest that sometimes his very paper blushes, and made him the first Lord of the Admiralty. This imposed an awful tax on our humility. Well, I will observe in passing, that if that editor ever takes a notion on Ossa we have Furnifold M. Simmons leading the United States Senate; Claude Kitchin, the best rough and tumble debater in the House of Representatives, and Locke Craig, who, having vainly endeavored to persuade the railroads that it pays to be a Christian, is now preparing to teach them that the wages of sin is death.

And although the old State has so generously contributed to filling the seats of the mighty, there still demain within our borders some score or more of modest men who are waiting, I may say, strenuously waiting, for the man in authority to say: "Friend, come up higher."

But I believe that it is the 20th of May and it may not be inappropriate for me to say that I was born in Union county, and in the days of the "signers" Union was a part of Mecklenburg; hence I have from my youth up, imbibed an abiding faith in the final perseverance of the Union county 'possum, the birthplace of Andy Jackson and the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence. And now the skeptic, with cold and clammy hand, would rob me of my inheritance. Well, there be those who count it scholarship to maintan that Shakespeare never dreamed of Hamlet; that Delilah never made a fool of Samson; that Achilles never slew Hector on the plans of windy Troy; and Horatius never kept the bridge in the brave days of old. And I doubt not that, when Joe Caldwell shall have been dead 25 years some high-brow will come along and break into the limelight for an hour by attempting to prove that Miss Peterson never wrote the immortal couplet:

"I seen paw come steppin' high
Which was of his walk the way".

A New Declaration.

But just now we are developing down home a new declaration of independence. We are not writing it, we are not speaking it—we are growing it. But when we have finished it it will spell 100 bushels of corn to every acre planted. And the heroes of independence are the corn club boys. Last year these boys made an average of 63.8 bushels of corn to the acre, while the balance of the State made 18.

In my opinion, the boys' corn clubs are the most hopeful organizations in the State. There is nothing high-sounding or spectaular about them. They do not pretend to compete with the Daughters of the American Revolution or the Sons of the Colonial Dames. There is just a plain, one-gallowsed country boy standing with an ear of good seed corn in his hand, but to me this boyish figure looms large against the horizon, and is eloquent with the prophecy of a better day. For I devoutly believe that in him there is found another child of the bullrushes, destined to deliver his people out of their boudage for bread.

So here is this metropolis of the Nation, amid the beauty and splendor of this banquet scene, and to this distinguished company, I give the toast:

"Here's to the corn club boys,
May their tribe increase."

So you see that we are beginning somewhat to live at home and board at the same place. Whatever the call be for lettuce or literature, for a cabbage or a king, we can supply the demand from our own garden.

Wealth of Tar Heel Talent.

If we want to be accurately informed about the great achievements in any field of human endeavor we turn to our World's Work and find it there set down in attractive fashion. If we want to read the best short stories in the world, our own O. Henry lies within easy reach, and according to the mood of the hour we turn to "A Fog in Santone", "A Municipal Report", "The Trimmed Lamp," "A Harlem Tragedy," "A Handbook of Hymen," or "Cupid a la Carte." And sometimes when we sit at night and watch the changing pictures in the back log's mellow glow and the heart hungers for the music that lies between the black keys and the white we reach out for our own sweet Scotch bard, and are lost in the glory of his song. It may be subject to the discount of a personal equation, but my judgment remains that John Charles McNeill was the most gifted poet America has known since Edgar Allan Poe. His "Bride" is as dainty and sweet as a spray of lilies of the valley. In his "October" with a wizard hand he paints into the deep colors of the season the deeper longings of the soul. And if he had never written another line his "Caged Mockingbird" would have won for him a place among the true sky-born, his versatility is marvelous, his genius comprehending, the finished art of Poe and the homely philosophy and fun of Joel Chandler Harris. His description of the fight at the August meeting is a masterpiece of its kind.

"Now, Ander is a nigger,
Wut's too quick upon de trigger,
His eyes is white as snow, his gums is blue;
When Heck ram' up ag'in 'im,
De scrappin' blood riz in 'im,
En he rech and fotch his razor fum his shoe.

"Some ubbm friz to Ander
En dey hilt Heck over hyander
Whilst the chillum and de gals was runnin' out,
Den Heck haul back en hit 'im,
Dat bluegum nigger bit 'im,
En de whole church fuller gemmen up en fou't.

Dar wuz razors, knives en wrenches,
Planks fum offen busted benches
En sum ubbm made a club er deir brogans.
Oh, dey put one ner to sleepin'
Wid ever' sort er weepin'
En I seed one fool er fightin' wid his hands."

And possibly on the next day he wrote his fine poem about the poor woman whose life was a ceaseless round of drudgery "who never dallied with a kiss."

"To whom were sun and moon and cloud,
The streamlet's pebbly coil,
The transient, May-bound, feathered crowd,
The storm's frank fury, thunder browed,
But witness of her toil."

I knew McNeill well and loved him. I shall always think of him as standing on the brow of some lonely hill, looking deep into the sunset, and seeing far beyond its radiant glow as he translates for us the glory of the scene:

"Hills, wrapped in gray, standing along the west;
Clouds, dimly lighted, gathering slowly,
The star of peace at watch above the crest—
Oh, holy, holy, holy!

"We know, O Lord, so little what is best;
Wingless, we move so lowly;
But in Thy calm all knowledge let us rest—
Oh, holy, holy, holy!"

Glimpses of "Down Home."

The colored members of the family are well and doing well. Our constitutional amendment emancipated them from the unprincipled politician, and they are busy, peaceable, and happy. In the nursery the old mammy is crooning soft and low:

"Doan you cry ma honey,
Doan you weep no mo',
Mammy lubs her baby."

In the kitchen Dinah is beating biscuits that fulfill the law of compensation to the man of spacious interior; and in the fields Sam is singing lustily of the

"Coal black gal
And the watermillion smilin' on de vine."

Their loyalty to their white folks is nothing less than beautiful. Just as I was leaving home an old black mammy said to me: "Honey, whar you gwine?" I said: "To the greatest city in the world to talk to the North Carolina boys." She said: "You tell dem young marsters not to be gittin' so high and mi'ty as to be forgittin' all der raisin'. Tell 'em old mammy say now is about de time fer dem to be takin' a little black draught or sassfrac tea fer de humor in the blood, and be sure, dat dur chilluns is all well gruzzed wid mutton suet, and has dur assfitdy bags 'round der little necks, to keep off dese new-fangled germs."

Spring is declaring handsome and entirely legitimate dividends. The old Berkshire grunts with solemn pride as she is followed about by 11 pigs, and the high price of meat does not appall.

The blue hen is sustaining her reputation, and every morning we have eggs as fresh and sweet as those John Ridd, at the risk of his life, carried to Lorna Doone. On every table hog jowl and turnip salad are asserting their ancient affinity. In the crock down by the spring the buttermilk is cooling. Once a despised drink, it is now hailed by science as the elixir of life, and crowned as a royal beverage. I well know that, reinforced by a few multiplying onions on the side, it makes a nepenthe kinder and more effective than "Poppy or mandragora, and all the drowsy syrups of this world."

The aroma of the new plowed fields is wafted on every breeze; the orchard flaunts its glories of tree and vine. And the girls! My, my! They are everywhere! With cheeks like the apple blossoms, with eyes that burn like midnight stars, and lips as red as wine, fascinating in the bud and intoxicating in the bloom, they are taking the Springtide at its flood and calling to every straggler on the shore: "Come on in, the water's fine."

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REAL PROPERTY.

FIRST TRACT: Beginning at a cypress in Old House Branch, and running thence South 2 deg. East, 12 poles, to a stake; thence South 88¼ deg. West, 61 poles, to stake; thence South 237 poles to a lightwood stump; thence North 80 deg. West, 145 poles, to a pine; thence North 257 poles, to a spruce pine, at the run of Old House Branch; thence with the meanders of said branch, to the beginning; containing, by estimation, 300 acres, same being on the North side of the railroad, about two miles from the Scott's Hill Depot.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning at the Southeast corner of the church lot of the M. E. Church, South, at Scott's Hill, in the center of the side track of the Wilmington & Newbern Railroad, and running thence with the course of the side track in a Northeast direction, 172 feet to a stake, 7 feet at right angles from the center of said side track to the West side of the same, and running thence North 59 deg. West, 823 feet, to a stake in a fence line; thence South 33 deg. 15 min. West, 435 feet, to a sycamore tree in the edge of an old grave yard; thence South 68 deg. 45 min. East, 371 feet, to a stake in the Western corner of the Methodist Church lot; thence North 35 deg. 30 min. East, 242 feet, to a stake in the Northern corner of the Methodist Church lot; thence South 53 deg. 15 min. East, 447 feet, to the point of beginning; containing 4.9 acres; and being the tract of land upon which the mill and plant of the Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company is located.

THIRD TRACT: All the standing timber measuring 12 inches in diameter, 18 inches from the ground, upon the following described tract of land, lying and being in Topsail Township, Pender County, and bounded as follows: On the North by lands of G. W. Huggins; on the East by lands of Jasper Sidbury; on the South and West by lands of W. H. Hill; containing 400 acres, more or less. It is the condition of this deed that the timber shall be removed from the aforementioned land within eight years from the 9th day of March, 1911. The party of the first part hereby conveys to the party of the second part all the rights and privileges of ingress, egress and regress named in the deed from J. T. Foy and wife.

FOURTH TRACT: 1st. Being a certain lot or parcel of land allotted to F. M. Foy in the division of the estate of J. M. Foy, deceased, and described as follows, to-wit: Situated on the East side of Island Creek and South side of Wanny's Branch, beginning at a sweet gum tree on the spot where formerly stood a stooping chinquepin; running thence North 85 East 77 poles, to a stake; thence South 36 poles, to a stake, Henry S. Foy's Northwest corner; thence East with said H. S. Foy's line, 250 poles, to a stake; thence North 58 East, 110 poles, to a gum tree on the run of Wanny's Branch; thence with the run of said branch, along the various courses thereof, about 286 poles, to a maple, the corner of the Sholar tract; thence with the Sholar line, South 44 West, 332 poles, to the beginning; containing by estimation, 337½ acres, more or less.

2nd. Situated on the East side of Island Creek, and on the North side of Wanny's Branch, beginning at a stake, Henry S. Foy's Northwest corner, referred to in the above tract; running thence South 304 poles to a maple on the North side of Mosquito Branch; thence North 74 deg. East, 54 poles, to a stake; thence East, 134 poles, to a pine; thence with the courses of the bay, first North 63 poles; thence North 83 deg. 50 poles; thence North 50 deg. East 120 poles, to a pine in the line of the Futch tract; thence with said Futch line, North 33 deg. West, 88 poles, to the corner of the Futch tract; and thence West 252 poles to the beginning; containing 322 acres, more or less.

3rd. Adjoining the above two tracts and lying on both sides of Wanny's Branch beginning at a stake at the edge of a bay, adjoining R. K. Bryan's land, being the beginning corner of the Futch tract, near Richard Earle's plantation; running thence North 33 deg. West 204 poles to a pine stump in Jeremiah Casteen's field; thence South 58 deg. West, 180 poles, across Wanny's Branch to a stake, corner of the two above described tracts; thence South 33 deg. East, along a line of the second tract described above, 100 poles, to a stake in the edge of a bay; thence South 18 deg. West, 60 poles, to a pine; thence South 58 deg. East, 60 poles, to a stake; thence North 58 deg. East, 263 poles, to R. K. Bryan's line, to the beginning; containing 22½ acres, more or less.

Excepting from the last mentioned tract, a certain parcel of land conveyed by J. W. Foy to Oscar P. Batton, by deed dated January ——, 1887, and recorded in New Hanover County, in Book Q, page 352, provided the said Batton has legal title thereto, but the said party of this deed conveys all interest he has in said exception, which purports to contain 22 acres.

4th. The following land in New Hanover County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of the Nixon heirs and others, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: In Harnett Township, situated on Mosquito Island, beginning at a pine near the head of Island Creek, and running down said creek to a stone, N. M. Nixon's corner; thence with his line East 154 poles to a stake, his corner at Mosquito Branch; thence up said branch as it meanders to a pine at Briery Glade; thence the various courses of said glade to Cross Branch; thence down the run of said branch, its various courses, to the first station; containing 350 acres, more or less.

The last four tracts lying in New Hanover and Pender Counties, and conveyed by George M. Wiley to W. H. Hill, as Recorded in Book 53, page 420, Records of New Hanover County, and in Book 54, page 570, Records of Pender County, and sold by W. H. Hill to said Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company.

FIFTH TRACT: 1st. Situated in Topsail Township, adjoining the lands of the Brown heirs, beginning at a spruce pine on the North side of Trumpeter Swamp, near the mouth of Maul's Branch, and running thence North 20 deg. West, 176 poles, to a stake; thence North 38 deg. East, 16 poles to a pine, near a bay; thence along the bay North 5 deg. East 40 poles to a pine on the bay; thence with said bay North 65 deg. East, 32 poles, to a pine; thence South 57 deg. East, 20 poles to a stump; thence East 40 poles to a pine; thence North 21 deg. West, with the bay, 40 poles, to a pine on said bay; thence with said bay North 57 deg. West, 56 poles to a pine; thence North 32 deg. East, 32 poles to a pine; thence South 51 deg. East, 144 poles, to the run of Trumpeter Swamp; thence down Trumpeter Swamp to the beginning; containing 110 acres, more or less.

2nd. Beginning at a stake on the run of Trumpeter Swamp, near the mouth of Coe's Branch, and running thence South 23 deg. West, to a stake near Mush Pot Pond, Ezekiel Chadwick's corner; thence with his line South 23 deg. West, 68 poles to a stake in the first line of a 100-acre tract or survey granted to M. J. Hall; thence with said line South 51 deg. East, 14 poles to a stake at the run of Blossom Branch, the beginning corner of Hall patent; thence down Blossom Branch to a stake, J. Garrison's corner, at the South edge of Blossom Branch; thence with Garrison's line South 27 deg. East, 110 poles to a pine near the Wolf Pond, James W. Walton's corner, the beginning corner of Garrison's old survey; thence with the line of said survey South 78 deg. East, 71 poles to a pine near Blossom Branch; thence South 12 deg. East, 48 poles to a stake; thence South 80 deg. East 21 poles to a spruce pine head fork of the bay of Blossom's Branch; thence North 20 deg. East, 10 poles to a stake; thence with the edge of Blossom Bay North 51 deg. East, 71 poles to a stake at the edge of Blossom Bay, the fourth corner of patent granted to W. C. Murphey, for 240 acres; thence with the line of said grant as follows: South 54 deg. East, 100 poles to a pine; thence South 10 deg. West, 68 poles to a pine at the edge of Carney Bay, at Merrick's Avenue, leading from the Savannah to Rocky Point; thence up the edge of Carney Bay South 72 deg. East, 50 poles to a stake by said bay; thence North 80 deg. East, 128 poles to a pine at the bay of Coe's Branch; thence North 80 poles to the run of Coe's Branch; thence down the run of Coe's Branch, to the run of Trumpeter Swamp, to the beginning; containing, by estimation, 750 acres, more or less.

3rd. Beginning at an oak at John Avant's corner; thence North 55 deg. East, 180 poles to a pine; thence North 2 deg. East, 218 poles, to a pine on Nichols' line; thence North 55 deg. West, 80 poles, to a pine; thence South 246 poles to Walker's corner; thence South 89 deg. West, 216 poles to a pine on Wanny's Branch; thence with said branch to the beginning; saving and excepting, more or less, 25 acres around and containing the house in which Jeremiah Casteen formerly lived.

Also another tract or parcel of land adjoining the lands of Charles B. Futch and the lands belonging to the estate of Lewis Loftin, deceased, and the lands of the estate of Benjamin Best, the boundaries of which will more fully appear in a patent by Reuben Everett for said land, the whole tract containing 209 acres, more or less.

4th. The following land in Pender County, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Watkins and others, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: In Topsail Township, beginning on the East end of Jordan's Ridge, running North 48 deg. West, 216 poles; thence North 43 deg. East, 15 poles; thence North 61 deg. East, 48 poles; North 17 deg. East, 50 poles; thence North 17 deg. East, 50 poles; thence North 7 deg. West, 108 poles; thence North 75 deg. West, 27 poles, to Betsey's Branch; thence up Betsey's Branch North 75 deg. East, 72 poles; thence North 2 deg. East, 100 poles to Catskin Branch; thence up Catskin Branch Eastwardly 248 poles to the bay; thence with the bay to the beginning; containing 534 acres of land.

SIXTH TRACT: All of the pine timber of every description of and above the size of 12 inches in diameter at the base, when cut, now standing or growing, or which may be during the term of ten years, beginning June 3, 1902, lying, standing or growing upon the tracts of land hereinafter described, situate in Pender County, North Carolina, in Topsail Township, to-wit:

Beginning at a stake on the line of the right of way of the Wilmington & Newbern Railroad, on the West side, by two cherry trees; thence North 49 deg. 40 min. West 162 poles to a stake; thence North 64 deg. 10 min. West, 302 poles to a stake at the West edge of the public road; thence a part of the way along and with said road; North 31 deg. 40 min. West, 184 poles to Willie's Branch, to a stake in Bryan and Casteen's line; thence with said line, South 58 deg. 20 min. West 62 poles to a stake in Thompkin's line; thence crossing Willie's Branch, South 31 deg. 40 min. East, 140 poles to a stake about —— poles West from the old cart road; thence crossing said road, North 58 deg. 20 min. East, 62 poles, to a stake in a bay about 8 poles West of the new road; thence about parallel with said road, South 31 deg. 40 min. East, 236 poles to a stake about 8 poles from said road; thence crossing the cart road South 19 deg. 20 min. West, 107 poles to a small red bay; thence South 46 deg. 40 min. East, 88 poles to a stake on Foy's line; thence North 43 deg. 20 min. East, 130 poles to a stake at the new road, F. M. Foy's and Bryan's corner, near the corner of Foy's lot; thence with the Foy and Bryan links South 68 deg. 40 min. East, 75 poles and 8 links to a stake in the line of the right of way of the Wilmington & Newbern Railroad, 50 feet from the center of said road, near the Methodist Church; thence along the line of said right of way North 47¼ deg. 20 min. East, 87 poles, to the first station; containing 292 acres, more or less, saving and excepting one acre, heretofore deeded to the Methodist Church.

SEVENTH TRACT: Beginning at a stake on the West side of the Wilmington & Newbern Railroad, 50 feet from the center line of said road, being also a corner of G. W. Huggins; thence along the line of the right of way of said road, North 47 deg. 20 min. East, 95½ poles to a stake, where Bryan and McClammy cross said road; thence with said line North 51 deg. 40 min. West, 10 poles to a stake in Black Swamp, a Bryan and McClammy corner; thence with their line North 38 deg. 20 min. East, 41 poles to a stake, an old Bryan and McClammy corner; thence with their old line South 50 deg. 40 min. East, 58 poles to a stake in the field back of McClammy's house; thence with another of their lines, North 38 deg. 45 min. East, 66 poles to a stake about 2 poles from the edge of a pond beyond the road; thence with another Bryan and McClammy line North 61 deg. 40 min. West, 151½ poles, crossing McClammy's field to a stake, a dividing corner between R. K. and N. N. Bryan; thence with their dividing line South 38 deg. 20 min. West, 79 poles to a stake in the Northwest edge of Black Swamp, a dividing line between R. K. and N. N. Bryan and Mrs. S. B. Foy; thence with R. K. Bryan and Mrs. S. B. Foy to dividing line South 51 deg. 40 min. East, 70 poles to a stake in Black Swamp; thence with their lines South 40 deg. 20 min. West, 64½ poles to a stake, the said Mrs. Foy's division corner; thence with their divison line, between R. K. and Mrs. Sallie Bryan, the same course mentioned, 48¼ poles to a stake about 100 yards beyond the Loftin Canal, their division corner; thence with their division line North 51¼ deg. West, 348 poles to a stake, 21 poles beyond Bryan Avenue road, their division corner; thence with their division line North 31 deg. 40 min. West, 98 poles to a stake; thence with the old Bryan and McClammy line South 58 deg. 20 min. West, 95 poles to a stake in said line, a division corner of R. K. and Miss Mary Bryan; thence with their dividing line South 31 deg. 41 min. East, 184 poles to a stake just at the West edge of the new road; thence crossing said road South 64 deg. 10 min. East, 302 poles to a stake in a small field, another division corner between R. K. and Miss Mary Bryan; thence with their division line South 49 deg. 40 min. East, 102 poles to a stake by the right of way of the aforesaid railroad; thence with the said right of way of the said railroad to the beginning; containing 350 acres, more or less. Also all the timber rights purchased from Theodore Gillespie by W. H. Hill, now remaining uncut on the lands of said aforementioned Theodore Gillespie, in New Hanover County.

All the above land and timber and timber rights being the same purchased by the Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company from W. H. Hill by deed bearing date January 27, 1912, and recorded in Book 80, page 522, Records of Pender County, and in Book 68, page 244, Records of New Hanover County.

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Seven head of mules; one yoke of oxen; four log carts; one ox cart; chain grabs and gear; one 65 H.-P. steam engine; two saw mills; one edger; one trimmer; one butt saw; one planer; one rip saw; one 80 H.-P. boiler; one 30 H.-P. boiler; one set dry-kiln trucks; one lumber truck; pulleys, cant hooks and chains. Mules as follows: One mule known as Millie, blind in both eyes; one mule known as Julia; one mule known as Lula; one mule known as Pete; two mules known as the Sidbury mules; and one mule known as Mike; same being the mules and other property used by W. H. Hill & Son in operating their mill at Scott's Hill, North Carolina, before they sold out to Marshall & Dawson, who, in turn, transferred their rights to the Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company. And all other property, except money, belonging to the said Scott's Hill Land & Lumber Company.

The real and personal property will be put up and sold separately and then offered together in bulk as a whole.

The highest bidder will be required to deposit 15 per cent. of his bid on the day of sale, pending confirmation of the same by the court.

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SUNDAY.

Syracuse University won the four-mile rowing contest of the annual inter-collegiate regatta on the Hudson river yesterday.

William Redding, a negro who shot the chief of police of Americus, Ga., was lynched by a mob at the scene of his crime last night.

Late dispatches from the Mexican border indicate that the Federal forces are being driven back toward Guaymas by the constitutionalists.

The Senate passed a concurrent resolution yesterday for a joint session with the House tomorrow to hear President Wilson's address on currency.

The Underwood-Simmons tariff revision bill as agreed upon by the Democrats of the Senate committee was considered in a harmonious session of the Senate Democratic caucus yesterday.

The currency committee of the American Bankers' Association has issued a detailed statement embodying the views of the organization as to the methods which should be employed in reforming the Nation's currency system.

New York markets: Money on call nominal; no loans. Time loans easier, 60 days 3 3-4 to 4; 90 days 3 3-4 to 4; 6 months 5 to 5 1-4. Flour quiet. Spot wheat firm. Corn easy. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet. Spot cotton quiet; 10 points off. Middling uplands 12.40; middling gulf 12.65 Sales none. Cotton futures closed steady.

TUESDAY.

Representative Doremus, of Michigan, was elected chairman of the organization last night.

President Wilson delivered his message on currency to the House and Senate in joint session yesterday.

Arthur Pelkey, the pugilist, charged with the death of Luther McCarty, his opponent in a prize fight, was acquitted last night.

Ray M. Stewart, a youth on trial yesterday in Washington, D. C., fired three times in a wild effort to "shoot up" the court. He is now held on a new charge.

Democrats opposed to free sugar began final efforts yesterday in the Senatorial caucus to change the schedule before the tariff bill reaches the Senate for general discussion.

President Wilson has requested Attorney General McReynolds to make a full report explaining the charges preferred against him by District Attorney McNab, of California, who resigned recently.

New York markets: Money on call steady, 2 to 1-2 per cent; ruling rate 2; closing bid 1 3-4; offered at 2. Rosin easy. Turpentine quiet. Flour barely steady. Corn weak. Wheat easy. Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 12:30; middling gulf 12.55. Sales 2,430 bales.

WEDNESDAY.

The administration currency bill will undergo important changes before it is pushed for action in either House or Senate, according to Washington dispatches.

As a precaution to avoid stirring up animosities on the part of the old soldiers, no tattered battle flags will be displayed at the Gettysburg celebration next week.

Tentative changes in the Underwood tariff bill have been agreed upon by Democrats of the Senate Finance committee to overcome the objections to the measure presented by foreign governments.

Because of the defiant attitude of Governor Blease toward Federal authorities, the Adjutant General of South Carolina has received advice from Washington officials that further Federal assistance to the militia of that State will not be granted.

New York markets: Money on call, steady, 1 3-4 to 2 per cent; ruling rate 2; closing bid 1 3-4; offered at 2. Flour steady. Wheat firm. Corn firm. Rosin steady. Turpentine steady. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.30; middling gulf 12.55. Sales, none.

THURSDAY

Free sugar in 1916, as approved by President Wilson, was accepted by the Senate caucus late yesterday.

In his farewell message to the Georgia Legislature retiring Governor Joseph M. Brown, made a caustic arraignment of organized labor.

A force of Bulgarian troops attacked the Servian positions at Zletova and Ratkovatz in Macedonia yesterday.

Eight persons were killed and more than 20 injured in a wreck of a Canadian Pacific train near Ottawa, Canada, yesterday.

The General Missionary Conference of the M. E. Church, South, has opened at Lake Junaluska, near Waynesville, N. C., with nearly 4,000 in attendance.

President Wilson held a conference at the White House last night with members of the Senate Banking and Currency committee on the Nation's monetary problem.

In response to many inquiries, Secretary Garrison has issued a statement concerning the relationship between the War Department and the Governor of South Carolina, designed to show why it was necessary to withdraw Federal aid from the militia of that State.

New York markets: Money on call, steady, 1 3-4 to 2 1-2 per cent; ruling rate 2; closing bid 2 1-4; offered at 2 1-2. Flour quiet. Wheat, barely steady. Corn barely steady. Rosin quiet. Turpentine quiet. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.50; middling gilf 12.75. Sales none. Cotton futures closed steady.

FRIDAY.

The Duke of Sutherland, second largest land owner in Europe, died yesterday.

A dispatch announces the complete demoralization of the Mexican Federal forces under Gen. Ojeda, near Santa Rosa.

The special arbitration treaty between the United States and Mexico expired yesterday. No immediate steps will be taken towards renewing it.

The administration currency bill was introduced in both House and Senate yesterday. Several changes had been made in the bill before its introduction, as the result of numerous conferences.

Republican Leader Mann, of Illinois, in a vigorous speech in the House yesterday, attacked the Attorney General for postponing the white slave cases in California, and spoke in defense of District Attorney McNab, resigned.

In the Democratic caucus yesterday, Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, urgently proposed the adoption of an amendment that would give the President power to enforce countervailing tariff rates on all commodities of commerce against any nation refusing to deal with the United States on a reciprocal tariff basis.

New York markets: Money on call steady 1 3-4 to 2 per cent.; ruling rate 2; closing bid 1 3-4. offered at 2. Flour quiet and lower. Wheat, easy. Corn firm. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.40; middling gulf 12.65; sales 100 bales; futures closed easy.

SATURDAY

The Senate caucus continued work on the tariff bill yesterday.

Dispatches announce that the Mexican Federal commander, Ojeda, was overwhelmingly defeated in the battlesof Ortizand Santa Rosa.

The tank steamer Mohawk, owned by theStandard Oil Co., exploded at anchor off Thompkinsville, Staten Islandyesterday, killingfive and injuring many others.

President Wilson has deferred other plansto examinethe tentative agreement reached between the attorney general and the attornys for the railroad in the dissolution of the Union Pacific merger.

A change in the United States government's attitude toward the warring factions inMexico was urged in the Senate yesterday, with the result that the Foreign Relations committee will take up thequestion immediately.

New York markets: Money on call steady, 1 3-4 to 2 per cent.; ruling rate 2; last loan 1 7-8; closing bid 1 3-4; offered at 1 7-8. Flour quiet. Wheat firm. Corn strong. Rosin quiet. Turpentine steady. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.30; middling gulf 12.55; sales 1,200 bales.

..By the Wayside..

The boy scouts of Hamlet went off on a hike to Fort Fisher Wednesday, and as they left here, a fellow cautioned them to watch out for sharks. "Huh," said one, "if one of this crowd got swallowed, it would be another Jonah scrape. They ain't no shark that could keep one of us on his stummick."

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"That is deuced bad form, doncher know," remarked a wag at the beach, as a most ungodly lean and ugly man, tall, skinny and bandy-legged, emerged from the surf, and sought the seclusion of the bath house. He had Ichabod Crane skinned the entire length of the beach. "If I had a style of architecture like his'n," said another, "I sure would keep shy of such abreviated attire as a bathing suit." A third broke in eagerly, "And what about her?" he said, pointing. "Oh Lord!" came the chorus, promptly and loaded with fervency.

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"Is Jeff Davis in hyah?" asked a young negro, poking his head through the door of The Star business office Every man quit work and looked up "No," anawered one, "he's upstairs holding a cabinet meeting relative to the exchange of prisoners between the armies of Northern Virginia and of the Potomac; and can't be disturbed. Vice President Stephens is out of the city Call again, and good night to you!" The negro looked as if he had been stunned with a baseball bat, then he grinned from east to west, and vanished. He wanted one of the negro hands newly acquired. Which calls to mind that the Southern Express Co. rejoices in the presence on its pay roll of an employe named William H. Taft, who is about the size of one of Professor Bill's massive props.

OBITUARY.

Sketch of Mr. J. B. Barnhill—Good Man Gone.

It is with a sad heart that I chronicle the sudden death of Brother J. B. Barnhill, which occurred on June 9th, 1913. Brother Barnhill was 59 years of age and had been in bad health for several months, but his condition was not believed to be very serious until the end came. Therefore, it came as a shocking blow to his family and many friends in this section.

He and his wife and two of their little children had gone to visit his wife's sister and on their way home his death occurred, while they were in the buggy.

Brother Barnhill joined Haw Bluff Baptist church in his early boyhood and he was true to the church and Sunday School as long as he lived. He had a kind word and a pleasant smile for everyone he met, and each moment of his life demonstrated a sweet spirit and a deep, Christian character.

No doubt he lived so near the Kingdom that death was only a steppingstone from this life to eternal life.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Dobson, of Atkinson, and his remains were laid to rest in the cemetery at Haw Bluff.

May there be no sorrow because of his departure from us, but let us strive to imitate his many virtues in the journey of life.

H. C. DeVANE,
Colly, N. C., June 28, 1913.

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But try as you will there are times when the little one will become constipated and bilious. In hot weather immediate attention is necessary, as many serious diseases result from stuffed-up bowels. Don't give salts or cathartics or purgatives, as they are too harsh, but give a gentle, pleasant-tasting bowel stimulant like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It has been used by the children of this as well as a former generation, and thousands of families are proud to speak well of it, among whom we can mention Mrs. Louise Reynolds, 909 Jackson St., Lynchburg, Va., who is glad to recommend it, and Mr. Chas. W. Allen, Manor, Texas, who writes that he often felt 100 years old, but feels younger now than his years.

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Syrup Pepsin, and the price is only fifty cents and one dollar a large bottle. It will cure constipation and billousness in young or old, break up a cold and stop Summer diarrhoea by ridding the bowels of the poisons and germs that cause the trouble. It is a grand family laxative, with valuable tonic properties.

Families wishing to try a free sample bottle can obtain it, postpaid, by addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 418 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

Got Missing Figures

THE General Manager was presenting plans for an extension of the factory to the company's directors at Detroit. He found that he had left an estimate sheet in his desk at the factory. He called up the factory on the Bell Long Distance Telephone. His assistant read the figures to him and the directors were able to act without delay.

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Epitaph of the Common House Fly and How to Get Rid of Them.

(By S. A. M.)

A swarm of flies came buzzing by,
And soon a garbage can did spy,
Oh! my, they cried in flyish glee,
That filthy can looks good to me.
No place we've seen in all our flight,
As nice as this for us to light.
So down they flew as all flies will,
To the filthy can of slops and swill.
The can was sitting in the sun,
And Mrs. Blow-fly had begun.
You know it's Mrs. Blow-fly's way
To turn all things into decay.
And she had done herself real proud,
For this old can was smelling loud.
Of course, this helped attract attention,
The flies were holding a great convention.
Flies had gathered from miles around,
Large, small, black, green, yellow and brown.
The object of the meeting there,
Was to map out plans for the coming year.
The chairman, he spoke up and said,
He wasn't pleased with last year's dead.
He said that we must come to terms,
And try our best to scatter germs.
He warned them to be very shy,
Of the boys and girls, that "swat the fly."
Also, he thought 'twas awful mean,
For any one their house to screen.
He told of a paper on which flies stick,
But they were on to that old trick.
Now, these he said, are not so bad,
I've something else to tell real sad.
Men these days are very wise,
They know that germs are carried by flies.
They know that on our feet and legs,
Are millions and millions of germs and eggs.
They also know that flies can cause,
As many deaths as all the wars.
So they have made a preparation
That'll soon be spread throughout the Nation.
If all reports I hear be true,
I see the finish of me and you.
The stuff's a wonder—that is, men say,
Guaranteed to drive all flies away.
And everywhere it has been tried,
Flies and insects by the thousands died.
They say it's of a liquid kind,
Made "Down South" from the long leaf pine.
It's used in such a simple way,
Blown through the tube which causes a spray.
It penetrates the air so fast,
A few minutes only our lives can last.
Spring is here, it's time to work,
We want no drones, no one must shirk.
Now what we wish to do is plain,
To kill all the babies that we can.
But now and ever understand,
That it shall always be our plan,
To make ourselves as busy as bees,
To scatter every known disease.
The place for us to do our worst,
Is the nipple of the bottle that the babies nurse
And then it should be awful handy,
To crawl all over children's candy.
To do this thing successfully,
We must do it systematically.
Let's fly from here to the manure pile,
And crawl over it awhile;
From there we'll fly to the horse's stall,
And there we'll have another crawl.
When we finish with the horse's stable,
Then it's to the dining table.
And if they open a sick room door.
Make a dive for the cuspidor.
If you'll try and do just what I say,
Everything will be our way.
But talk is cheap, we're losing time,
Let's make our hay while the sun doth shine.
We'll start right now, to the house we'll fly,
Our motto, ever "TO DO OR DIE."
And so right there from that filthy can,
The 1913 season began.
They all went swarming to the house,
When they got there, things were as still as a mouse.
It seemed to them that from afar,
Came the faintest odor, the smell of Tar.
But this they did not mind at all,
Till by the hundreds they began to fall.
In a very few minutes, our story goes,
Every one of them turned up their toes.
This jingle is not idle jest,
Everyone should give this drug a test.
If it doesn't do just what we say,
We won't receive one cent of pay.
And on my word you can rely,
When I say it's **death to every fly.**

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The Carolinas

Joe D. Breece, of Cumberland, was selling cantaloupes in Fayetteville last week.

More than $125,000 is being spent on new buildings in Darlington, S. C., The bank has increased its capital $50,000.

Rockingham has sold $50,000 of bonds to a Detroit firm, $30,000 going for paved streets and $20,000 for the graded school.

The cotton mills around Greenville, S. C., will close the 8th of August for a period of 10 days to give their employes a mid-Summer vacation.

Daniel Graham, a negro, is in Wayne county jail on a charge of attempted criminal assault on a young widow, Mrs. Lizzie Deans, in Nahunta township.

The Winnie Davis Chapter, U. D. C., of Yorkville, S. C., has raised sufficient funds to send three veterans to the Gettysburg reunion of the blue and gray.

Asheville is having the hydrants on the streets painted white, so the firemen can readily find them on the darkest night and thus save time in making connections.

Mount Pleasant, S. C., is planning $20,000 expenditure for a water system. A recent fire furnished the inspiration for the movement to put the town on the safe side.

Dick Hooper, Chris Moore and Will Moore, three negro prisoners in Onslow county jail, escaped through the same hole the Fishers used several years ago, and are still at large.

Tom Alford, a colored lineman at Smithfield, while splicing a wire touched a live one on the pole he was working, and was knocked to the ground, breaking his neck in the fall.

Dredgers in Sampit river, South Carolina, where government work is being done, have found an old cannon, much copper pipe and parts of an old steam vessel, in the bottom of the stream.

Governor Blease is trying to change "hanging day" from Friday to some other day, or any other day. Since South Carolina was made a State, Friday has been the day to execute all condemned men.

Henry Kiser, a Stokes county farmer, died recently and left a surprisingly large estate. His realty is worth from $50,000 to $75,000 and he had $7,000 in the bank, and about $3,500 in cash in his home.

The Howie Mining Co., of Arizona, which has bought the John C. Bates gold mine near Waxhaw, states it will spend $50,000 putting the equipment in shape for mining. The ore assays $15 to the ton, it is said.

Stanislav Poniatowsky, an agent of the agricultural department of Russia, is in North Carolina, studying farmng methods, particularly corn and cotton culture. He is visiting the various State test farms.

Dr. Osigiand, an Assyrian, has been in Anderson, S. C., for some time for the purpose of starting in a small way a silk mill. His scheme is endorsed by local business men and appears to be certain of development.

The contract for an addition to the administration building and one wing to the East dormitory at the Eastern Carolina Teachers' Training School at Greenville, has been awarded to C. V. York, of Raleigh. The price is $21,770.

If the proposition to divide Lexington county, S. C., goes through, the new county will probably be named Edisto. The new county would take in the towns of Pelion, Samaria and Steedman, and a portion of the Black Creek and Edisto sections.

"Lady Clara," a Jersey cow, belonging to the Dutch Dairy Farms in Catawba county, in 60 days has produced 2,037 pounds of milk and 126.8 pounds of butter, or three times her weight in milk. For 10 days she averaged 38 pounds of milk daily.

The Wadesboro Ansonian says his brother Masons took unusual liberties with the growing crop of D. Shepherd, of Gulledge township, the other day, going into his fields and working his crops, he being abed with typhoid fever and unable to get out and combat the grass.

While a Newbern man was lunching in the Midgett Hotel at Oriental Wednesday, the two-year-old son of the hotelist, Mr. Will Midgett, climbed in the auto of the visitor and started it going full speed, but on low gear. Chase was given and the car captured just in time.

The Georgia-Carolina Power Co., has been held up by a temporary order from the courts, halting condemnation proceedings on a 43-acre tract in Edgefield county, said to be necessary for the development of the three million-dollar power development of the company.

The State Veterinary Medical Association, in session at Salisbury during the week,elected M. J. Fagland, of Salisbury, president; R. H. Parker, of Gastonia, and Roy Wolfe, of Hickory, vice president; J. P. Spoon, Burlington, secretary; B. B. Flowe, Raleigh, treasurer.

W. L. Killian, known over the State by reason of "Killian's Nursery," which he founded in Catawba county, fell during the week while at work in his nursery and broke his chin, injuring his neck bones and head. He is quite old and there is apprehension concerning him.

A. F. Settlemyre, a young Burke county school teacher, serving a sentence on the roads, has been pardoned by the Governor. Settlemyre got drunk and was put in jail for it, whereupon he proceeded to smash up the jail furniture, and was thereupon sent to the roads for that.

A man accompanied by three quarts and a pint of whiskey, outside, and evidently a considerable amount inside, pulled his gun and proceeded to create a very rough house on train No. 35, from Salisbury to Asheville Tuesday night. He was arrested by the conductor before he had killed anybody and placed in jail at Statesville.

Charity and Children, the Baptist publication issued by the Thomasville Orphanage, cleared $5,500 for the year endng June 15th. It is edited by Archibald Johnson, who is considered one of the strongest writers of the State, and through him the circulation of the paper has been extended until it has between 15,000 and 20,000 subscribers.

Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson bid off the old court house at Goldsboro the other day for $225, but the county commissioners refused to accept the bid. The judge only bid because it looked as if the building was going for $200, and he raised it merely to keep it from going too cheap. When it is bought for keeps, the purchaser is to remove it in 60 days.

After a long and, as Mr. Dooley would say, "arjus" fight, the Hickory postoffice goes to A. C. Link. Some half a dozen leading citizens were candidates and all had strong support. Congressman Webb finally left it to a letter primary, that is, he wrote every patron of the office and asked him to indicate his first and second choice. Link had the most votes.

Officers report the capture of two blockade stills at Oconee, S. C., one in Swain county this State, one in Burke and one in McDowell counties, and one near Reidsville, in Rockingham county. The new commissioner of internal revenue, Col. W. H. Osborne, declares he is going to clean up North Carolina, sure; and has called on the sheriffs to help him.

Discussing the rate on fertilizers from Wadesboro, which had been raised and which the Inter-State Commerce Commission ordered changed back to the old figures, the Wadesboro Ansonian says it looks like the railroads are playing a hold-up game, since the rate was increased immediately after the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., put up a plant at Wadesboro.

At the inquest held over the remains of Richard McMillan, the negro who was drowned in Lumber river at Boardman, it was discovered that his pockets were turned out, and there was evidence that he had had $80 in cash on his person. However, the negro who was with him, Phil Brown, was not arrested, the evidence not being sufficient to indict him on charge of murder.

It was estimated that the 4,000 people attending the Methodist meeting in Waynesville last week would consume 25,000 pounds of fresh meats; 22,400 pounds of flour, etc.; 20,000 pounds of vegetables; 4,000 pounds of sugar; 2,000 pounds of coffee; 3,334 dozen eggs; 3,000 pounds of fruit, and 800 pounds of soap. The figures are based on the army ration of 4,000 men for five days.

G. S. Cleary, of King's Mountain, lineman for the Southern Power Company, withstood 2,300 volts of electricity Tuesday, while working on a power line pole; and while it knocked him 15 feet to the ground, he will get well unless complications arise. In the chair at Raleigh they only turn on about 1,800 volts to kill a condemned man, though of course, they make several applications of the current.

Morganton, Burke county, has thrown overboard the old aldermanic system of government and now has three commissioners who in turn have hired a practical business man as town manager. As a result things are running smooth as glass, improvements are made promptly where needed, money is being saved and every dollar spent means that the citizens are getting 100 cents worth of value for it.

A Yorkville, S. C., man who drove his machine through Lancaster, Heath Springs, Kershaw and Camden at such a rate that he hit only the high places and beat efforts to head him off via the 'phone, dropped into Lancaster a few days afterward and was just raising a cool drink to his face when the policeman who had tried to stop him, glimpsed him, and before he was allowed to depart he paid ten beans for his hurried passage through the town.

At the Beach Today

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NOTICE.

United States District Court, Eastern District of North Carolina.—In Equity.

James N. Gillis, Mamie B. Gillis, Chas. Upham Gillis, Herbert D. Gillis, minor, and John Patrick Gillis, minor, by their next friend, Jas. N. Gillis, versus Duncan B. Gillis, Christiana B. Monroe, Wm. H. Monroe, Ida M. Shaw, Daniel A. Shaw, Jos. B. Gillis, Ada P. Gillis, Robt. H. Gillis, Katie M. Gillis, Ralph M. Gillis, Bessie Gillis, Hattie Gillis, Jasper Gillis, minor, Escout Gillis, minor, Effie Gillis, minor, Rena Gillis, minor, Bettie Gillis, minor.

The defendants, Jas. B. Gillis, Ada B. Gillis, Rob't H. Gillis and Kate M. Gillis, will take notice that the equity subpoena of this court, in the above cause, has been issued against said defendants, commanding them to appear and answer or demur to the bill of complaint herein filed, on or before the rule day, on the first Monday in August, 1913, being the fourth day of that month), or the relief therein demanded will be granted; that the cause of action relates to a tract of land, situate in Cumberland County, North Carolina, conveyed by H. W. Lilly to James N. Gillis, on Dec. 26, 1895, the deed thereto being recorded in Book 2-4 page, Records of Cumberland County. The complainants seek to reform an alleged deed, conveying said property to Duncan B. Gillis and wife in fee, so as to make it read to Duncan B. Gillis for life, and after his death to the complainants.

This June 20, 1913.

H. L. GRANT,
Clerk U. S. District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington.
By S. P. Collier, Deputy Clerk.
(Seal.) TREDELL MEARES.
Solicitor for Complainants.

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AN EPIDEMIC OF ROBBERIES

Expert International Crooks in London—A German "Typhoid Mary" Kills Twenty-three—Other Foreign News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

London, June 28.—London and several other large cities of England have been suffering of late from an epidemic of jewelry and other robberies. From the way some of the thefts have been carried out the police have come to the conclusion that they are the work of expert international crooks, and the authorities are keeping a close watch on the crowds of those gentry who visit London during the season.

Other cases, however, are obviously the work of amateurs, several of whom, leaving well marked trails behind them, have been gathered in by the detectives from Scotland Yard. That the police, on the other hand, have been baffled by many of the robberies in which large sums have been involved, they themselves admit. In one or two cases they are convinced that the "victims" reported robberies to cover losses of jewelry either through extravagance or gambling, and these occurrences have been marked off the police books as solved. Still a large number of cases are receiving close attention.

One of the most daring of these recent thefts was made from Christie's, the famous auction rooms, which is probably one of the best guarded places in the metropolis. At the conclusion of a day's sale the attendants found that three important engravings had been taken from the walls. How they were carried away is a complete mystery. They were all framed, and of a fairly large size, but nevertheless none of the watchful attendants saw anything suspicious. Robberies have been very rare at Christie's where articles of enormous value are always being shown or sold. The last occasion on which one was attempted was some years ago, when an American woman tried to take a pearl necklace. She was caught and sent to prison.

Advises Girls to Read Novels.

In opening a school which is to provide a two years' course of training in household work for girls going into domestic service, J. A. Peace, president of the Board of Education, somewhat startled the women present by suggesting that the girls be encouraged to read and discuss novels. This, he thought, would make their lives seem less dull.

The school which, if successful, will be copied in all the cities of the country, is partly residential and partly day. All girls will go into residence for at least eight weeks in the year in order to gain practical experience of the routine work of a household. Mr. Peace, in his opening address, said the government appreciated efforts of the kind, and in connection with trade schools had practically doubled the grants. With training for household work he believed the idea that domestic service was a servile trade would not survive, that the status of domestic servants would be elevated, and that there would be a corresponding improvement in the conditions of service maintained by the employer.

Servants 400 Years.

Berlin, June 28.—American newspapers now and then publish stories of servants who have been employed continuously in the same family 25, 30 and even 40 years, and describe the "jubilees" held in honor of the faithful worker. But the American record, however, becomes insignificant when compared to the history of the Spannkrebs family, in East Prussia, the members of which have served the Counts of Eulenburg for 400 years.

The Eulenburg family acquired the estate of Galligen, near Koenigsberg, in 1413. Among the workers who were then installed on the land was a certain Hermann Spannkrebs, whose descendants have lived on the estate ever since. Generation after generation they have entered the service of the owners of the property. To celebrate the 400th anniversary of this relation, the present Count of Eulenburg and the senior Spannkrebs invited all the employes on the estate to an elaborate jubilee dinner, the cost of which was met by the count, who presided at the banquet.

A German "Typhoid Mary."

Germany's "Typhoid Mary", a cook in the regimental kitchen of the Railroad Regiment No. 3 in Hanau, can score up 23 deaths to her account from the typhoid epidemic which broke out in the first battalion of the regiment last December, and which has only now ended.

According to an official statement made before the Reichstag the epidemic, which involved several hundred active soldiers and reservists called to the colors for training, has been traced to a potato salad prepared by this woman, who evidently had carried the bacilli of typhoid in her body for years. She is now, of course, permanently barred from employment as a cook.

This case has brought out an interesting discussion as to the right of such "bacilli carriers" to demand from the State a pension to compensate them for their permanent "disability" to practice their trade. A workman who loses his arm; a stenographer whose writing hand is crippled or an engraver whose sight is permanently affected are entitled to compensation from the insurance fund. Why not then a cook who, through no fault of her own, becomes a permanent menace in the kitchen and is thereby thrown out of employment?

The Association of Iron and Steel Industries of Berlin, has decided, following a movement started in the German business world some time ago, to recommend to its members that, beginning October 1 next., they discard all unnecessary salutations and closing formulas in their correspondence, and also that redundant and superfluous phrases be dispensed with. The association's lead is likely to find many followers, especially in the Rhineland, where the revolt against what is called "merchant German" is widespread. As a sample of the phrases to be discarded the following may be cited:

"In the possession of your honored letter of yesterday, I acknowledge to you the receipt of the same thankfully, and have taken the most careful notice of its contents."

This is the stock formula for acknowledging a business letter. The reformers see no reason why "yours of yesterday received and contents noted" does not fill all requirements.

Mexico's Financial Condition.

Mexico City, June 28.—The expenditure of the money borrowd by Mexico in the latter part of May, about two hundred million pesos, is not going to be at all difficult. According to reliable information something like $56,000,000 gold already has been disbursed, and there remains on hand not more than $34,000,000 gold. The loan was placed at 90, and a commission of at least 2 per cent. was paid, leaving the total amount actually available not more than $80,000,000 gold. The $56,000,000 already paid out is acounted for roughly by $21,000,000 returned to New York bankers in the shape of bonds and $35,000,000, to the National Bank for the payment of accounts in Paris and London and other pressing claims. Of the remaining $24,000,000 the government has promised to pay $7,000,000 for port improvements at Salina Cruz, Vera Cruz, Tampico and Frontera, and other items listed account for a few millions more, leaving available for the war fund probably not more than $15,000,000 gold.

An official estimate of the cost of the general conduct of the war, including keeping the army in the field, is $7,500,000 a month, providing, of course, that all bills are liquidated. In addition to the borrowed money the government has its ordinary income, but this has been materially reduced because of a diminution in the totals of imports upon which dutes are collected, at a reducton in the sale of stamps for the conduct of general business. The stamp tax brings money to the treasury in proportion to the volume of business, and business is light.

Given these conditions, there is speculaton in Mexico City today as to how long President Huerta's financial resources will hold out, and the general opinion is that they will last between three and four months.

That the spirit of romance never is far from that of fighting is frequently to be seen these days in stories brought in from the provinces. Natero Elizondo, a rebel chieftain who is operating in Nuevo Leon, recently fulfilled his promise of marriage to his betrothed in spite of the opposition of the girl and her parents, and the loud protests of the priest who performed the ceremony.

The girl's family did not believe in revolutions; not this one at any rate. It was not their idea of the way to be patriotic. One day Elizondo rode at the head of his band into Higueros, the village where his sweetheart lived. He "captured" the town solely for the purpose of being present on the date which had been set for the marriage. Instead of finding all prepared for the ceremony, however, he was met by an indignant sweetheart, an angry father and an obdurate priest. Although surprised, Elizondo was not willing to ride out of town without his bride, so he summoned the priest and instructed him to perform the ceremony or be shot as an enemy to the "cause."

The wedding festivities which came afterwards were none the less joyous, however, for the bride soon lost her contempt for her rebel husband, and her oldest brother rode away with Elizondo a week later as his second in command.

Mexico Buys Japanese Guns.

Mexico has shifted her trade in arms and ammunition from German manufacturers to Japanese. The War Department has contracted to purchase from a house in Japan 200,000 rifles of the Mauser type. They are to be finished with a number of improvements over the old Mauser, and in order to avoid the use of inferior materials and to guarantee careful and exact work at the factory, a commission of three Mexican army officers will supervise the work of filling the order. A range of 1,500 feet more than that of the old type is claimed for the new arm, with a considerably increased muzzle velocity.

Prior to signing the contract it was alleged by a portion of the local press that the guns Japan wants to sell are nothing more than the old ones used in the Russo-Japanese war. These were six and a half millimeter calibre, and it was claimed that this bore had been routed to the stipulated seven millimeter. The charge was refuted.

Compulsory military service was to have been inaugurated in Mexico on June 1st, but it was then announced that before the President's decree providing for enforced service could be put into effect it would be necessary to make a number of changes in the law which would make its application impracticable for some six months longer.

The proposed scheme of compulsory enlistment is regarded by many as rather lax. One of its provisions is that any man earning more than a soldier's wage shall be exempt. Heads of families, or any one able to show that someone is dependent on, him, also may plead exemption. These exemptions would confine the draft to the most ordinary laboring classes, not materially different from those now composing the army.

It is not a secret that the recruits, under the present system, are drafted just as much as if there were in force a law compelling service. For the most part they are taken from the jails, but not infrequently well built young men whose only crimes are being "out of a job", are forced into the ranks. So common has this custom become that protests are frequent, and at times very annoying to the authorities. The appearance of the recruiting officer in a given locality has been known to drive the entire male population to hiding in the hills to return only when the representative of the army had taken himself elsewhere.

WORLD'S MEAT SUPPLY.

America Contributes One-third of Half Billion Trade.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., June 28.—The total value of meats and food animals entering international trade is, according to the latest figures of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, approxiately 450 million dollars per annum, of which about one-third is from the United States, and consists chiefly of pork and pork products.

While the total value of meat products and food animals exported from the United States in the year which ends with this month will be but about 150 million dollars, against approximately 250 million in 1906, this reduced total far exceeds that of any other country. Meat and food animals exported from Argentina in 1912 amounted to but 67 million dollars in value; from Australia in 1911, 31 million; from Canada, 14 million, and from Uruguay, 11 million. These six countries—the United States, Argentina, Australia, New Zealand, Canada and Uruguay—are the chief meat-exporting countries of the world. It will be seen from these figures that our meat exports are not only larger than those of any other country, but actually exceed the aggregate of our five principal rivals. The fall in our exports of meats and food animals, which has characterized recent years, has occurred chiefly in beef; pork products, always an important factor in the meat exports, show but a slight reduction.

The United States still has, despite the reduction in her live stock in recent years, a larger number of food animals than any other country of the world. Of cattle alone, the number in the United States is 56 million, the only country having a larger number being India, with 113 million, while Russia in Europe and Asia has 51 million; Argentina 29 million; Brazil 25 million; Germany 21 million, and the United Kingdom 12 million. These figures are in round terms and for the latest available year. Of sheep, the United States has 54 million; Australia 92 million; Russia 85 million; Argentina 67 million; the United Kingdom 30 million; India 26 million; Uruguay 26 million, and New Zealand 24 million. Of swine, the United States has 61 million; Russia 13 million, and Germany 22 million. The total number of food animals (including in this term merely cattle, sheep and hogs) was, at the latest available date in the United States 169 million; Russia in Europe and Asia 149 million; India 140 million; Australia 104 million; Argentina 98 million; Germany 51 million; the United Kingdom 46 million; and France 39 million.

A colored "lady" who had been discharged as cook by a colored restauranteur in Spencer, organized a rough house in the restaurant one night during the week, cleaned it out, smashed dishes and rattled pans, took $100 from the cash drawer and with two razors held the crowd at bay for an hour. When the officers came, she fled, the whole pack after her. Through the Southern Railway yards she sped, climbing box cars like a cat, and eventually eluded her pursuers.

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Dissolve twelve ounces of granulated sugar in one-half pint of water, add one ounce of sarsene, and mix the whole together thoroughly, then add more water to make a pint. Sarsene is a liquid which you can get at the drug store by the ounce. Get it in the original package. Take one or two teaspoonfuls of this mixture three or four times a day, with a little water, if desired.

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CAROLINE G.—No, the bust cannot be developed safely in a lasting way by the use of mechanical contrivances. They are, furthermore, dangerous.

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First wash the face with hot water and soap. Then sprinkle some neroxin generously upon a sponge made wet with hot water. Then rub well for a few minutes on the parts of the skin which are affected with the blackheads. You should be able to secure the neroxin at any druggist's for fifty cents. Never pinch or squeeze out blackheads.

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MAUD N.—Bald spots can be made to fill out and the hair grow wonderfully in a short time by the following formula. It will also positively stop the hair from falling out.

Mix half a pint of alcohol with half a pint of water. To this add one ounce of beta-quinol. Shake thoroughly and then it will be ready for use. If you prefer, you can use imported bay rum instead of the water and alcohol. The beta-quinol you can get at almost any drug store for not more than fifty cents. This formula should be applied very freely to the scalp after brushing it generously for a few minutes all over. Rub the tonic thoroughly into the scalp with the finger tips.

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This the 26th day of June, 1913.

M. S. WILLARD,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
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State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover.

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This 4th day of June, 1913.

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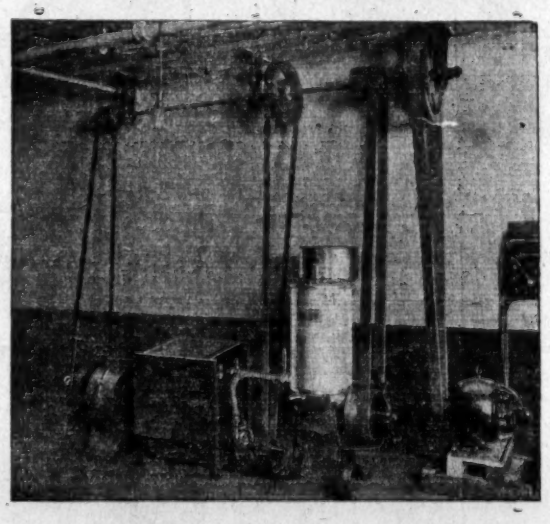

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